THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy Wednesday; Thursday, local rains.

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FRENCH ARE ATTACKING GERMANS' SECOND LINE TRENCHES IN THE WEST

Allies' Offensive Being Carried On, But With Less Impetuosity.

FOUR BATTLES IN EAST

From Riga to Galicia, Armies Are Contesting Every Inch of Ground.

Great Battle in Champagne is Over 16-Mile Front.

London, September 28. — In Champagne, the French are attacking the German second line of trenches, and are making further progress, but seemingly the Allies' offensive movement is not being carried on with the same impetuosity that characterized the first two days of the operations. The successes won are recognized as very important, but the main object, which is to break through the German lines, has not yet been accomplished.

Both the British and French have greatly improved their positions and, by gaining the hills and crests from which they can dominate the German lines of communication, their next attempt to secure a decisive victory should be made easier to carry out, in the view of experts here.

French Rushing Forward.

The French continue to push forward east of Souchez, aiming at the heights of Vimy, which command the plain to the east; while the British to the north are making secure their hold on the Lens-LaBasse road and are beating off the German counter attacks.

The battle in Champagne is over a sixteen-mile front, where the French are attacking and are within less than two miles of the railway which crosses the country behind the German positions which has been so useful to them in moving troops and supplies to theratened points. With the French guns within easy range, the railway is rendered useless.

As usual there is a great divergence between the German and French official accounts of the battles. The Germans claim that all the French attacks have been repulsed and that a number of prisoners have been captured.

... is the same with regard to the Crown Prince's offensive in the Argonne. Whereas, this is described by the French as an important atcion, the Germans say it is a minor one, designed to improve the situation, and that the desired result has been achieved.

Heavy Fighting in the East

There has been no cessation of the heavy fighting on the Russian front. From Riga down to Galicia the armies are contesting every inch of the ground, and at least four separate battles are in progress. Field Marshal von Hindenburg has resumed his effort to reach D...nsk, which town has been denied him so many times. The Germans announce that the Russians have been driven from two successive lines of trenches to the southwest of Dvinsk.

Except for Field Marshal von Mackensen, who is held in the Prepet marshes, all the German generals report advances, even General von Linsengen, whose army was rather roughly handled by the Russians in Volhynia, having, with the aid of strong reinforcements, been able to take the initiative again. In addition to re-capturng Lutsk he has crossed the Styr river below that fortress.

In Galicia, the Russian general, Ivanoff, is still holding the Austrians back and is himself gaining ground.

Montnegro Takes Hand.

Montnegro ,the smallest of the allied nations, is taking a hand in the general attack on the Central Powers. She has launched an energetic offensive, according to an unofficial telegram, which secured for her the possession of some Austrian positions.

Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, in the house of commons today, made statements concerning the Balkan situation which should tend to clear the atmosphere. While saying that Bulgaria has assured the powers that she had no aggressive intentions against her neighborhood states, Sir Edward took occasion to warn that country that an aggression would bring to the assistance of any friends of the Allies attacked the whole power of the British empire.

The enthusiasm with which the Greeks are answering the call to a mobilization is considered in London as also being likely to affect the Balkan situation.

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...n official commu... ...blic, dealing with ...ance Tuesday, says ...avy fighting around Loos ...ave taken exceptionally ...n lines of trenches and

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ARDMORE OFFICIAL DEATH LIST A...17

Railway Officials M... be Charged with Crim...

PROBE BEGINS ...AY

Explosion and Fire Which Caused Wrecking of Business District of Oklahoma Town Costs Half a Million Dollars.

Ardmore, Okla., Sept. 28.—Officials of the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe railway may be charged with criminal negligence in connection with the explosion and fire which caused the wrecking of the business district of Ardmore and the death of 47 persons here yesterday. This announcement was made in a statement issued tonight by Russell Brown, city attorney of Ardmore.

Investigation with a view to fixing the blame for the disaster will be begun tomorrow by the municipal authorities. An official list issued by the police late today placed the number of dead at 44, and the total property damage at half a million dollars. Early official statements had placed the number of victims at 55. This discrepancy was explained tonight by the fact that several persons previously reported dead were found either in hospitals or in their homes after a close police check with the physicians.

The death list tonight was increased to 47 by the death of Ootto McClerg, 15 years old, of Ardmore, a messenger boy, and the finding of the bodies of two negroes.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Bids for 16 new submarines, five sea-going cruisers and eleven of the coast defense type, will be opened at the Navy Department Thursday, September 30. The boats were authorized by the last Congress.

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DUMBA RECALLED INCIDENT CLOSED

State Department Arranging for His Safe Conduct

NO LEAVE OF ABSENCE

Cablegram from Penfield Tells of Conversation With Austrian Officials, in Which They Said Recall is Final.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Dr. Constantin Theodor Dumba, Austrian ambassador to the United States, has been formally recalled by his government and the State Department is arranging with the British and French embassies here for his safe conduct on a steamer sailing from New York October 5th. This announcement was made today by Acting Secretary Polk, after receipt of a cablegram from Ambassador Penfield at Vienna, telling of his conversation with Austrian officials, and a message from Dr. Dumba himself, asking safe conduct in accordance with instructions from his government. The incident is now considered closed.

State Departmen... officials explained that when the original no... asking for recall was presented by Ambassador Penfield, the Austrian foreign office contemplated recalling Dr. Dumba on "leave of absence." Dr. Dumba himself received word to that effect and asked for safe conduct. Ambassador Penfield, however, was instructed to make clear informally to the Austrian foreign office that Dr. Dumba's official relation with this government must be severed and that "leave of absence" would not be satisfactory. Baron Burian, the Austrian foreign minister, then sent instructions to Ambassador Dumba to return to Vienna and at the same time told Mr. Penfield that "the recall is as a matter of course, final."

A record of this conversation was shown to Baron Burian and verified before being transmitted by Ambassador Penfield, and when the State Department received it, the copy was sent to Dr. Dumba at the summer embassy at Lenox, Mass.

It had been thought at first that a formal answer to the note asking for the recall of Dr. Dumba on account of his plans for interfering with American munitions plants might be awaited before safe conduct was obtained, but the assurance of the Austrian foreign minister, even though given in conversation, was regarded as sufficient because it was later officially verified by him and made a matter of record between the two governments.

ANGLO-FRENCH TO GET HALF BILLION JOINT BOND LOAN

Five-Year Issue to be Sold to the Public, Bearing Five Per Cent.

DEFINITE PLAN FORMED

Formation of Nation-Wide Syndicate Left in Hands of Morgan & Company.

New York, September 28. — The agreement between the Anglo-French financial commission and the American bankers with whom they have been conferring over the proposed credit loan to Great Britain and France, has resulted in the formation of a definite plan, it was officially announced here tonight, for the establishment of a $500,000,000 loan issue on 5-year 5 per cent. joint British and French bonds, payable jointly and severally by the two nations upon which the big loan will be a first lien.

The bonds will be issued to the public at 98, thus yielding approximately 5½ per cent. to the investor, and to the nation-wide syndicate of bankers, which will subscribe to the loan, at 96. Formation of the syndicate has been left to J. P. Morgan & Company and "a large group of American bankers and financial houses." The bonds will be issued in denominations as low as $100 and subscribers thereto may pay for them by installments.

At maturity, these bonds will be repayable in cash or convertible into 4½ per cent. joint Anglo-French bonds redeemable from 10 to 20 years thereafter by the two governments jointly and severally. Sir Henry Babington Smith, a member of the commission, made public the announcement in the name of Lord Reading, chairman of the commission, who is in Chicago with several other members of the commission.

It was announced that Russia will not participate in the loan.

The two per cent. margin between the prices at which the issue will be offered to the public and the syndicate will reimburse members of the syndicate, it is contemplated, for their expenses in placing the loan on the market.

How It Will be Placed.

To bring the great offering, the largest of its kind ever placed in the United States, before investors throughout the entire nation, the country will be divided into districts or zones and to each district there will be delegated a sub-committee of the syndicate managers, composed of the subscribing banks and trust companies within the districts.

These sub-committees will work simultaneously and will report to the general syndicate managers who will be located in New York. The five-year bonds, principal and interest, will be payable in New York.

Parliamentary ratification of the plan is necessary in the case of both Great Britain and France, but it is assumed by members of the commission that

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AMERICA NO DUMPING GROUND AFTER THE WAR

By Legislation to Keep Out Cheap Foreign Products.

Is Now Being Considered in Washington—High Officials Believe End Can be Reached Without High Tariff.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Legislation is being considered by the administration as a means of preventing the "dumping" of cheap foreign products on the American market at the conclusion of the European war. Some high officials believe the end can be accomplished without a revision of the tariff.

The subject will be taken up by Secretary Redfield and members of the Federal Trade Commission in their annual reports which will be sent to Congress at the opening of the next session. While the exact recommendations will not be decided until conferences are held with President Wilson, it is known that the subject has already received detailed study by administration officials.

There is believed to be serious danger that after the war European concerns will attempt to recover lost ground by flooding the United States with goods to be sold at less than the cost of production.

Foreign goods, it was pointed out by officials today, cannot be shipped to the United States unless the invoices are signed by American consular officers abroad. An effort is to be made to find a way to prevent the signing of invoices in cases where it has been established that the goods are to be "dumped" on the American market at prices less than the cost of production.

NATIONAL DEFENSE IS URGED BY MANN

Says Let Us Remain Neutral, and Keep Out of the War.

REPUBLICANS BANQUET

Illinois Congressman, Senator Weeks, and Others, Speak at St. Louis Affair, Preparatory to State Campaign.

St. Louis, September 28. — Republican leaders from all parts of Missouri tonight attended the banquet given here by the State and St. Louis Republican committees as a preliminary to the campaign of 1916. The principal addresses were made by United States Senator John W. Weeks, of Massachusetts; Congressman James R. Mann, of Illinois, and former Congressman James Watson, of Indiana.

Representative Mann made a plea for American neutrality and a proper provision for national defense.

"Let us keep out of the war," said he. "Let us remain neutral. It is not our duty to civilize or govern Europe.

"Our highest duty is to America. We should use every effort to advance the interests of our own country and our own people, with a single eye for the advancement of American prosperity, American civilization, American intelligence, American morality.

"While we are adopting means and methods for our trade and industrial development, let us also, in view of the conditions of foreign lands, put our house in order to defend and protect itself against any foreign nation or nations. Our wealth will soon excite the envy, if not the cupidity, of the outside world.

"We have the wealth. We have the men. But we do not have the organization, the means, the experience, or the methods sufficiently developed and provided to make proper defense against foreign foe or attack. We must provide all that is necessary for our protection, and we must do it soon and completely.

Revolution May Follow War.

"The highly developed modern civilization is liable, if not likely, to break down in other countries. The immense indebtedness of foreign lands, with its tremendous current burdens, is almost sure to bring about a revolution, if not many national revolutions.

"That there will be trouble abroad, even after a treaty of peace between the warring nations is secured, seems most probable. We cannot afford to take the risk of not being prepared to defend ourselves and our rights.

"If we make the effort to capture the markets of the world, as the opportunity now offers, we must be ready to defend and protect the rights of our citizens doing business abroad, and their property. We might well begin with Mexico.

"Our business and financial interests cannot be expected to greatly increase our trade with other nations unless they can feel that our government will prevent the wanton seizure and destruction of their property interests as well as their agents and employees in other lands.

Against Military Madness.

"It is not our duty to reform the whole world, but it is our duty to guarantee to American citizens whom we invite to engage in foreign trade and undertakings that so long as they follow peaceful and legitimate pursuits, they will receive the attention and support of the American government and the protection of the American flag.

"But we must not become military mad. Probably there is no danger of that. Our form of government and our citizenship are not adapted to military propaganda.

"We may want to conquer the trade of the world, but we do not want to conquer other nations or take other lands."

Representative Mann told the meeting that a protective tariff was essential to an efficient programme of national defense, prosperity at home and the protection of American capital and labor from foreign competition. The European conflict, he said, had demonstrated the need of building up American industries that the country might have their aid, if it ever went to war.

Senator Weeks said that while the people were in a "state of watchful, patient, sympathetic and hopeful waiting," trying not to embarrass President Wilson in his foreign negotiations, the silence did not necessarily mean assent to methods that have been adopted in the negotoations.

GERMANS CLAIM TO HAVE STOPPED ALLIES' OFFENSIVE.

And by Counter Attacks to Have Gained Territory.

Berlin, via London, Sept. 28.—The Germans not only have stopped the general offensive of the Allies on the western front, but by counter attacks have gained considerable territory for themselves, according to today's official statement by army headquarters.

NEARLY WHOLE GERMAN CORPS LOST IN MARSHES

London, Sept. 28.—The Times' Petrograd correspondent says: "A report, which has been confirmed from a good quarter, is that the 41st German army corps was overtaken by the flooding of the Pinsk marshes and being unable to escape, nearly the whole of the corps perished."

CONDITIONS ALONG MEXICAN BORDER ARE AGAIN ACUTE

Battery of Mountain Artillery Sent to Progreso, to Prevent Raid.

500 BANDITS THREATEN

Colonel Blocksom Thinks We May "Soon be Compelled" to Cross the River.

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 28.— The head of Private Richard J. Johnson, the United States cavalryman missing since last Friday's battle near Progreso, has been exhibited as a trophy on the Mexican side of the Rio Grande, according to a statement made tonight by a Mexican prisoner to Hildago county officers at Pharr, according to a report which reached here.

The officers admitted that they were holding the Mexican in connection with the disappearance of the soldier, but declined to confirm the report.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Conditions along the Mexican border in the Brownsville district again have become acute, according to messages to the War Department today, from Major General Funston, and a battery of mountain artillery has been dispatched to Progreso, Texas, to prevent a raid by 500 bandits who threaten to cross into American territory.

Col. Blocksom, in command of the troops near Progreso, reported through General Funston that the bandits seemed to constitute an independent band.

"If Carranza does not stop these bandits," telegraphed Colonel Blocksom, "I believe we shall soon be compelled to follow them across."

Secretary Garrison said he interpreted the colonel's telegram to mean that if conditions did not improve he would find it necessary to recommend that American troops be permitted to pursue attacking forces across the international line whenever necessary to deal with them.

Information placed in the hands of the Department of Justice, by T. R. Beltran, Carranza consul at San Antonio, Texas, bears out to an extent Colonel Blocksom's report that the bandits seem independent of Carranza control. Mr. Beltran contends that former followers of Jesus Flores Magon, leader of a socialist movement in Lower California, have organized on the border and are working surreptitiously to foment trouble between the United States and Mexico.

There are intimations that outside influences are supplying funds for the alleged plot, and Department of Justice officials have begun an investigation. Officials here think the Carranza authorities themselves are not aware of the extent to which the alleged intrigues have been carried, and are hoping relief for the situation will come through vigorous measures by the Carranza commanders.

EYE ON COLONY OF MEXICANS

Believed to be Waiting Opportunity to Cross Rio Grande

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 28.—The presence of a colony of Mexicans, probably half of them believed to be es-

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UNIDENTIFIED VICTIMS OF SUBMARINE BURIED

Full Military Honors Accorded the Seventeen Dead

Dismembered Bodies in Four Caskets Pass Down Pennsylvania Avenue Between Lines of Civil War Veterans.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Full military honors today were according 17 unidentified victims who lost their lives when the United States submarine F-4 mysteriously sunk at the entrance to Honolulu harbor some months ago. Their dismembered bodies, in four caskets, were buried in the Arlington National cemetery, the services being attended by high officials of the Navy and others.

As the flag draped caissons were drawn along Pennsylvania avenue from the Washington navy yard to Arlington, thousands of Civil War veterans and others attending the Grand Army of the Republic encampment lined the street and uncovered their heads in reverence.

There were 21 men aboard the submarine. Four bodies were identified and buried elsewhere.

The funeral escort was composed of all the regular troops and bluejackets in this vicinity. Religious services at the cemetery were conducted by Chaplins M. C. Gleasson, attached to the Newport training station and J. B. Frazier, attached to the Norfolk navy yard. The usual military ceremonies were observed at the cemetery, including the firing of musketry and the sounding of taps.

Secretary Daniels, Assistant Secretary Roosevelt and a large delegation of naval officers, including the members of the advisory council, attended the services.

UNION VETERANS STAND SOLIDLY BEBIND WILSON IN HIS FOREIGN POLICE

READING GUEST OF BAR ASSOCIATION

Greeted by Two Thousand Judges and Lawyers.

PAYS TRIBUTE TO BAR

Lord Chief Justice of England Says They Are Wrong Who Think the Object of Lawyers is to Twist Justice.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Baron Reading, lord chief justice of England and chairman of the Anglo-French loan commission, who was here in the interest of the proposed loan to England and France, was the guest of honor at a reception given by the Chicago Bar Association at the Midday Club in the afternoon. Two thousand judges and lawyers, including one woman practitioner, Mary Lee Culbert, enthusiastically greeted him.

After thanking the members of the bar for their welcome, Baron Reading said in part:

"At the bar of England, as at the bar here, I am sure you are animated by the same desire, indeed it is a passion, for justice. There are those who think the object of the members of the bar is to twist justice. They are wrong. A member of the bar who is taking part in the administration of the court is there to assist justice.

"I never take my seat on a bench without realizing the debt that we as judges owe to the bar which practices before us.

"In our country we have been striving to get rid of the legal formalities and the jargon which surrounds the law. We have attempted to get at the realities. Our desire is to get at the merits of the case, applying the principles which have been laid down, and in that we believe we get nearer to justice than by the more scientific but at the same time rather more technical views that prevailed in the past.

"I found the spirit at the bar was

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BRITAIN HAS HER EYE ON BULGARIA

If She Takes Sides With "Our Enemies," It's Good Night.

SECRETARY GRAY TALKS

Addressing House of Commons, Sir Edward Says If Bulgaria Maintains Neutrality, All Well; If Not, "We are Prepared."

London, Sept. 28.—"If Bulgarian mobilization should result in Bulgaria assuming an aggressive attitude on the side of our enemies, we are prepared to give our friends in the Balkans all the support in our power, in a manner that would be most welcome to them, in concert with our allies without reserve and without qualification," was the pregnant announcement made by Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, in the house of commons this afternoon.

Secretary Gray emphasized the long standing friendship between Great Britain and Bulgaria and added:

"Our official information from the Bulgarian government is that they have taken up a position of armed neutrality to defend their rights and independence and that they have no aggressive intentions whatever against their Balkan neighbors. Not only is there no hostility in this country to Bulgaria, but there is traditional warm feeling of sympathy for the Bulgarian people. As long, therefore, as Bulgaria does not side with the enemies of Great Britaian or her allies there can be no question of British influence or force being used in any sense hostile to Bulgarian interests, and as long as Bulgaria is unaggressive there can be no disturbance of those friendly relations."

After making the categorical announcement that if Bulgaria should assume an aggressive attitude on the side of Great Britain's enemies, the government would take action, Sir Edward continued:

"We are, of course, in consultation with our allies on the situation and I believe the view I express is theirs also, our policy being to secure an agreement in respect to the Balkan States which will ensure each of them not only independence, but a brilliant future, based as a general principle on territorial and political union and kindred nationality."

Petrograd, Sept. 28.—via London, Sept. 29.—The council of ministers started tonight on a visit to Emperor Nicholas at his headquarters.

The President Formally Welcomes Them Amid Scenes of Patriotic Fervor.

NO REFERENCE TO WAR

Civil War One of Few in History of Which Both Sides Could be Proud.

Speaks of the Mission of the United States.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Veterans of the Civil War here for the annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic were formally welcomed to the Capital tonight by President Wilson, who told them their battles fifty years ago were fought that the greatest instrumentality for the pulift of mankind the world over has ever seen might not be impaired.

The President spoke amid scenes of patriotic fervor in the crowded convention hall into which the old Census building had been converted. Col. David J. Palmer, commander-in-chief of the G. A. R., introduced him amid thunderous cheering and informed him that the veterans stood solidly behind the administration's conduct of the present day foreign problems and that their sons would support him in any steps he might take.

The President was frequently interrupted by applause as he spoke to the veterans, their families and friends. He did not touch directly on the European war, or on problems growing out of it, but devoted his address to the mission of the United States and the lessons taught by the Civil war. He spoke of the war as one of the few in history of which both sides could be proud.

The meeting marked the formal opening of the Grand Army encampment, which will continue during the remainder of the week, with the great parade and presidential review tomorrow.

President's Address.

The President's address in part follows:

"It is a singular thing that men of a single generation should have witnessed what you have witnessed in the crowded fifty years which you celebrate tonight. You took part when you were young men in a struggle, the meaning of which I dare say you thought would not be revealed during your lifetime, and yet more has happened in the making of this nation in your lifetime than has ever happened in the making of any other nation in the lifetime of a dozen generations.

"The nation in which you now live is not the nation for whose union you fought. You have seen many things which have made this nation one of the representative nations of the world with the modern spirit of that world and you have the satisfaction which I dare say few soldiers have ever had of looking back upon a war absolutely unique in this, that instead of destroying, it healed, that instead of making permanent division it made a permanent union. This nation was from the beginning a spiritual enterprise, and you have seen the spirits of the two once divided sections of this country absolutely united. A war which seemed as if it had the seed of every kind of bitterness in it has seen a single generation put bitterness absolutely out of its heart, and you feel, as I am sure the men who fought against you feel, that you were comrades even then, though you did not know it, and that now you know that you are comrades in a common love for a country which you are equally eager to serve.

Miracle of the Spirit.

"This is a miracle of the spirit so far as national history is concerned. This is one of the very few wars in which in one sense everybody engaged may take pride. Some wars are to be regretted; some wars mar the annals of history; but some wars in contrast make those annals distinguished and show that the spirit of man sometimes springs to great enterprises that are even greater than his own mind had conceived.

"You set the nation free for that great career of development, of unhampered development which the world has witnessed since the Civil war. But for my own part I would not be proud of the extraordinary physical development of this country, of its extraordinary development in material wealth and financial power, did I not believe that the people of the United States wished all of this power devoted to ideal ends. There have been other nations as rich as we; there have been other nations as powerful; there have been other nations as spirited, but I hope we shall never forget that we created this nation, not to serve ourselves, but to serve mankind.

Human Right Paramount.

"I hope I may say without even an implication of criticism upon any other great people in the world, that it has always seemed to me that the people of the United States wished to be regarded as devoted to the promotion of particular principles of human right. The United States were founded, not to provide free homes, but to assert human rights. This flag meant a great enterprise of the human spirit. Nobody, no large bodies of men, in the time that flag was first set up, believed with a very firm belief in the efficacy of democracy. Do you realize that only so long ago as the time of the American Revolution democracy was regarded as an experiment in the world, and we were regarded as rash experimenters? But we not only believed in it; we showed our belief was well found-

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BROOKLYN LOSES LAST HOME GAME TO PHILLIES

Chicago Takes Both From Cincinnati; Four Straight

Four Home Runs, All by Chicago, Were Made, Two in Each Game—Errors Helped Phillies to All but One of Their Runs

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Brooklyn 4; Philadelphia 6.
At Chicago 7-5; Cincinnati 3-0.
No Others Scheduled.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Cincinnati at Chicago.
Brooklyn at New York.
Philadelphia at Boston.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Philadelphia	86	60	.589
Boston	78	66	.542
Brooklyn	78	69	.531
Pittsburg	71	79	.473
Chicago	70	78	.473
St. Louis	70	79	.479
Cincinnati	69	80	.463
New York	67	78	.462

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Chicago made it four straight from Cincinnati today by taking both games of a double header, 7 to 3 and 5 to 0. Four home runs, all by Chicago players, were made, two in each game.

The locals won the first game by bunching hits behind erratic fielding. Douglass was forced to retire but Pierce had little trouble holding his opponents safe. In the second game, Chicago went to the front in the first inning when two homers, a base on balls and a single gave them four runs, a lead which the visitors could not overcome.

Manager Herzog was banished from the second game for arguing a decision by Umpire Orth.

Cincinnati .. .... 012 000 000—3 7 3
Chicago .. .. .. 000 310 012*—7 10 4

Dale and Wingo; Douglas, Pierce and Archer.

Second game:

Cincinnati .. .... 000 000 000—0 7 1
Chicago .. .... 400 010 00*—5 7 0

Schneider and Wingo; Hogg and Bresnahan.

Brooklyn, Sept. 28.—The Brooklyn Nationals rung down the curtain on their home grounds today with a poorly played game, losing to the Phillies by 6 to 4. Errors helped the coming champions to all except one of their runs, while the Superbas earned all four of theirs. Getz was the batting star, getting a home run, a triple and a single in four times at bat. Cravath made three hits in as many times up. Buster Mails, from the Northwestern League, made his debut for the Brooklyns in the last two innings and made a good impression. He is a southpaw.

Philadelphia .. .. 202 010 100—3 8 1
Brooklyn .. .. .200 000 110—4 8 4

Chalmers and Burns; Cheney, Dell, Mails and Miller.

Greenwich, Conn., Sept. 28.—Francis Ouimet, former National amateur and open golf champion, was defeated by Dudley Mudge, of Yale, in this afternoon's play in the Greenwich Country Club invitation tournament. The margin was 4 and 3.

PITTSBURG FEDERALS VICTORS OVER NEWARK

Kansas City Wins on Home Grounds From Baltimore

Score Tied at Beginning of the Ninth Inning at Kansas City—Final Score 3 to 2—Schmidt and Smith Banished.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Pittsburg 7; Newark 2.
At Kansas City 3; Baltimore 2.
No Others Scheduled.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Kansas City at St. Louis.
Buffalo at Brooklyn.
No Others Scheduled.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Pittsburg	84	63	.571
St. Louis	95	65	.568
Chicago	83	64	.566
Kansas City	79	70	.530
Newark	75	71	.514
Buffalo	72	78	.480
Brooklyn	70	80	.467
Baltimore	46	102	.311

Kansas City, Sept. 28.—With the score tied and Rawlins on second in the ninth inning, Goodwin delivered a single, scoring Rawlins, and Kansas City won the last season game on the home grounds from Baltimore today, 3 to 2. Cullop, who opposed LeClair, settled down after the second inning and had the game well in hand until the finish. Only five hits were registered from his delivery.

Manager Stovall, of the Kansas City club, and Shortstop Smith, of the visitors, came to blows in the seventh inning. Both were banished from the game.

Baltimore .....110 000 000—2 5 3
Kansas City.....001 001 001—3 8 2

LeClair and Owens; Cullop and Easterly.

Pittsburg, Sept. 28.—Pittsburg defeated Newark today 7 to 2. Knetzer for the locals, allowed only two hits, while his teammates hammered Moseley and Billiard for a total of ten.

Newark .....000 002 000—2 2 4
Pittsburg .....300 004 00*—7 10 1

Moseley, Billiard and Rariden and Huhn; Knetzer and O'Connor.

Greenwich, Conn., Sept. 28.—One of the surprises in the golf tournament of the Greenwich Country Club today was the defeat of Francis Ouimet, former National amateur champion, by Dudley H. Mudge, of Yale, by 4 up and 3 to play. The first and second match rounds were run off so that the survivors for the semi-final round tomorrow are Philip W. C. Carter, of Nassau, L. I.; Reginald M. Lewis, of Ridgefield, Conn.; Maxwell R. Marston, of Baltusrol, N. J., and Mudge. They will meet in the order named.

Louisville, Ky., Sept. 28.—Hodge, W. J. Weber's 4-year-old gelding, ridden by Jockey Roscoe Goose, was first in the third annual running of the Louisville cup at two miles at Douglas Park here today. Lindenthal was second; Ringling, third. The time was 3:33 3-5. The dollar mutuals on the winner paid $6. The race was run over a track that was a sea of mud.

WALTER JOHNSON WINS FINAL FROM THE TIGERS

Struck Out Ten Men in The First Five Innings

Fanned Entire Side, Including Cobb, in Initial Round—Washington Makes Two Runs in Last Half of Fifth Inning.

RESULTS YESTERDAY

At Washington 3; Detroit 0.
No Others Scheduled.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

Washington at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Cleveland.
No Others Scheduled.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W	L	Pct.
Boston	99	46	.683
Detroit	97	54	.642
Chicago	88	61	.591
Washington	82	65	.558
New York	66	81	.449
St. Louis	62	86	.419
Cleveland	57	92	.383
Philadelphia	40	106	.274

Washington, Sept. 28.—Walter Johnson won the final game of the series from Detroit today, 3 to 0. Johnson struck out ten men in the first five innings, fanning the entire side, including Cobb, in the initial round. In the last half of the fifth a single, a pass and Foster's double netted Washington two runs. In the eighth Milan's hit bounded over Cobb's head for a home run.

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HANSON TRAINING UP

The Hanson-Mainfort Match to be the Best of the Year

Fritz Hanson is training morning, afternoon and night at the Y. M. C. A., in preparation for his wrestling bout with Bobby Mainfort, to be pulled off at Woolvin Hall Friday night. Hanson, not having to make any special weight, thinks himself better prepared to wrestle with a heavy man, when nearer his weight, and the same of a strong, small man. He is expecting to reach 153 pounds before Friday night. He is training his exercise and his diet to that effect. Mainfort expects to make the ringside at about 162 pounds, making probably only four pounds difference in the men.

Ithaca, N. Y., Sept. 28.—Cornell defeated Gettysburg 13 to 0 in the opening game of the season here today. The Pennsylvanians startled the Red and White by holding them scoreless until the second period. Cornell played mediocre football and twice lost chances to score by fumbling within the shadow of the goal posts.

Columbus, O., Sept. 28.—Volga, champion two-year-old trotter of this racing season, stepped the last halves of two one-mile heats in 1:03 and 1:04, while winning the Chicago horseman and Spirit of the Times futurity, one of the principal events on today's grand circuit card at the driving park here.

THEATRICAL

Nothing quite the equal in size and importance in the musical comedy field has been seen in Wilmington in some time to compare with John C. Fisher's production of "The Red Rose," which is booked for matinee and night at the Academy of Music on next Saturday, October 2nd.

This newest musical sensation in the popular field of entertainment is in three acts. Its book and lyrics were written by Harry B. and Robert B. Smith, authors of "Robin Hood," "Watch Your Step," "The Debutante," etc., while the score is the work of Robert Hood Bowers, who has to his credit the music for "Peggy from Paris," "The Vanderbilt Cup," etc., but none of which registered for him the popular success that has "The Red Rose." It is a delightfully clean cut and charming performance made brilliant by the most pleasing music that has been turned out for a work of this kind.

In the large cast will be seen Marguerite De Von, Nellie Wagner, Evelyn Stewart, Maurice Darcy, Donald Archer, Marie Hebold, Polly Merrill, Fred Harndeh, Robert LaLonde, Geo. C. Hall, Hal Peel and the original New York Globe Theatre singing and dancing chorus, which has been called by a well known dramatic critic "A real American Beauty chorus."

The matinee prices will be from 50 cents to $1. The night prices will range from 50 cents to $1.50. Tickets will go on sale tomorrow at Plummer's.

"Potash and Perlmutter."

"I've got it a heart, Mr. Steuerman, and my daughter has got it a heart," pleads Abe Potash to Henry Steuerman, the philanthropist, in the second act of "Potash and Perlmutter."

"And me," breaks in his partner Morris Perlmutter, "ain't I got it a heart?"

"I understand," says Steuerman, soothingly, and the audience too understands, for, after all, Hearts are Trumps in this dramatic game of Love and Law, pinochle and politics that has been laughed and wept over for two seasons in New York City and which Manager A. H. Woods will present at the Academy of Music on Wednesday, October 6th.

"Potash and Perlmutter," will be presented with a company of splendid artists, all of whom have been seen in New York and including Nat S. Jerome, as "Abe Potash" and Charles Lipson, as "Mawruss" Perlmutter. Tickets will go on sale Monday at Plummer's. Prices will range from 50 cents to $1.50.

"Shepherd of Hills" Today.

The Victoria theatre will offer today at matinee and night performances a dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's famous novel, "The Shepherd of the Hills."

After the matinee performance today Master Germond, the juvenile member of the "Shepherd of the Hills" cast, will entertain all the boys and girls who attend the matinee, the children are invited to come upon the stage after the performance is over, and meet Master Germond, as he wants to have the little boys and girls know him better than as just "Poor Pete" the lad of the hillside.

Now Master Germond is going to have a big party for all of the young folks, they can go right upon the stage and have a good time, refreshments

Percy Kilbride, in "The Shepherd of the Hills," Victoria, Matinee and Night, Today.

will be served at the stage party and chaperones will help Master Germond look after the comfort of his guests.

All the little folks should go to the Victoria matinee this afternoon, for they will have a good time.

Starting tomorrow night and for the last half of the week the bill will be "On the Stroke of 12." It is a riot of fun; you will laugh until your sides ache. The farce is one rapid fire of laughs from start to finish.

"On the Stroke of 12," is not a melodrama; it is a mystery farce comedy. There are a thousand laughs to say nothing of the hundreds of giggles that are crowded into the screaming four-act play. You will be sorry for a long time if you allow yourself to miss "On the Stroke of 12."

Seat sale opens each day at 1 o'clock at the Victoria.

Big Bijou Bill.

A six-reel bill on a big day like Wednesday is something unusual, but that's just what the Bijou is offering for your jitney today, beginning at 11 o'clock this morning. Besides the thrilling "Diamond from the Sky," the ninth chapter of which is presented today, there is presented that great three-reel spectacle, "Crime's Triangle" featuring Universal's big star, King Baggot.

"Crime's Triangle," is a remarkable story of love and intrigue leading to crime through the extravagance of a wife and her worthless brother. The leading role is one in which the distinguished screen artist King Baggot, is seen at his very best, and it is needless to say that he has taken every opportunity to portray the character in his usual perfect manner. To many King Baggot is rapidly assuming the highest pinnacle among leading men, and it seems only a matter of time when he will overcome other erstwhile shining lights who have long served as movie "matinee idols" for the many thousands of picture patrons throughout the land. Certainly it is true that should he produce many more such sterling and worthwhile features as "Crime's Triangle," which, by the way, he produced and directed himself, he will easily have the call over any other Universal star.

"The Diamond from the Sky" is another one of those thrillers this week. Blair Stanley, Arthur Stanley, Quabba and beautiful Lottie Pickford all come to the front with strong and exacting roles after being in the background, more or less for the past two episodes.

"The Country Circus," is a great comedy offering that will appeal especially to the little ones, and features that dainty star, Violet MacMillan in the leading role.

Florence Reed in "Her Own Way."

Royal patrons indeed have a treat in store for them today, probably one of the most choice offerings of the week being the Metro feature picturization of George Fitch's famous story and play of the same name entitled "Her Own Way," and starring one of stardom's brightest constellations, Miss Florence Reed, whose work on the spoken stage last season as the leading woman in "The Yellow Ticket" brought her international fame.

"Her Own Way," was one of Clyde Fitch's first plays which he wrote for Maxine Elliott, and she appeared in it throughout America and Europe. The play is five solid reels of love, romance and sacrifice, and the part of the heroine is one that severely tests the emotional qualities of any dramatic star, and Miss Reed gives full value to the many strong and gorgeous scenes that are shown on the screen.

Miss Reed as Georgiana Carley, finds it necessary to sacrifice her heart by wedding a scheming man she does not love, who brings her evidence of the death of her sweetheart in the Philippines. Her only reason for marrying him is to keep her immediate family from enduring the pangs of poverty. The grand climax of the play occurs as she stands at the altar in marriage, when her lover turns up, alive and well, and promptly stops the ceremony. The gorgeousness of affluence, as depicted in the world of fashionable society, is shown in many scenes, and the strength of the story is such that it holds the spectator's undivided attention for the whole of five reels.

As an added attraction today the World Comedy Stars present Burns & Stills', "Wizard Comedy Men," in a great comedy in one-act, "Pokes and Jabs."

"Broadway Favorites"—Grand Today.

Have you seen the Grand's new screen? Just you drop in today and see for yourself what a great picture we are showing, absolutely flickerless. Mr. Dagenhardt, our chief operator, who has had a world of experience in the making of screens, has just completed what he calls the famous "shadow Box" screen, and we want to tell you folks it is just fine on the eyes, so soft and nice; and say, listen, we will show for the first time on the new screen a wonderful four-reel Kalem "Broadway Favorites" production this very day, entitled "The Vanderhoff Affair," featuring Hal Forde and Marguerite Courtot.

"The Vanderhoff Affair" is a great drama, and the story is now running in the September number of "The American Woman." The story tells of a diabolical plot concocted by Boscoe Vanderhoff and his Mexican servant, Jose, by which Helen, the former's niece, is to be robbed of her fortune. By giving the girl doses of a loco weed preparation, the two scoundrels lead physicians into believing the girl insane. It is at this point that Lester takes a hand in the game. He becomes aware of the plot and the manner in which he frustrates it is intensely exciting. With Mr. Forde in the cast are such popular Kalem stars as Marguerite Courtot, Robert G. Vignola, Henry Hallam and Helen Lindroth. Miss everything but the Grand show today.

A one-reel comedy by the Vitagraph company is also on the boards. It is a scream called the "City Rube," After trying to make the cow sit on the milking stool, collecting all the china eggs and jabbing the farmer with a pitchfork, Adolphus flees for the railroad station, spurred on by liberal charges of bird shot.

COUNCILMAN HALL EXPLAINS.

Police Patrol Automobile Not Used to Rush to Scene of Robberies.

With reference to that statement about the police patrol automobile being rushed to the scene last week when a robbery was reported, Councilman Hall, in charge of the department of public safety, states that the automobile, while used to transport policemen quickly and expeditiously to any section of the city, where they are needed, is never sent directly to the point where the call is sent from unless it is stated that a prisoner is being held, but that it is stopped at some point nearby.

The other night he states that a call was sent in and in response, two plainclothesmen immediately dispatched in response. The automobile was used to take three policemen from the hospital, where they had gone to take an injured negro, and when they reached the place some distance away from where the call was sent in, it was found that the drug store had been entered. The robbery of the store was not discovered until after the call for assistance for another purpose had been sent in.

Councilman Hall says that he will gladly welcome any suggestion for the improvement of the service and that they will receive prompt attention.

FEDS WORKING HARD

Manager McCullough Writes Mr. Hooper, of the Orton, about Plans.

Mr. Wm. T. McCullough, manager of the Pittsburgh Federal baseball team, wrote a letter, which was received yesterday by Mr. Chas E. Hooper, manager of the Orton Hotel, expressing thanks for the good wishes of the Wilmington fans in the clash that is on this week, in the contest for honors in the Federal League. He says the boys of the big league are thinking and talking of their winter home and training camp. They all seem to be optimistic over their plans for being here next spring.

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ROTARY CLUB ENDORSES THE INLAND WATERWAY

Regular Meeting Held in Trust Building Last Night.

The Wilmington Rotarians held an enthusiastic meeting in the Trust building last night and discussed a number of matters. The Atlantic Inland Waterway, which was discussed so ably at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon by Congressmen Moore and Small, was enthusiastically endorsed by the Rotary Club and the members pleged themselves to do everything possible towards seeing that the proposition is put through. President L. E. Hall, of the Chamber of Commerce, made a short address in which he explained the great significance of the movement at the present time. Mr. Milton Calder moved the adoption of the resolution which was unanimous.

Mr. Paul Bell, for the "Made in Wilmington" committe, reported progress in the preparations for the parade early in November and stated that over 40 Wilmington manufacturers had stated their intention of having exhibits. There will be nothing but "Made in Wilmington" products in the parade with the exception of an agricultural display. It is going to be a striking advertisement for the city.

Mr. J. R. Murchison, president of the club, presided at the meeting last night and Mr. Meares Harriss, the secretary, kept a record of the proceedings. The meeting was well attended and there was plenty of interest and enthusiasm.

SENTENCED FOR 60 DAYS.

James Bert, Colored, Assaulted a Female—Other Cases Saturday.

James Bert, colored, was another of the negro men in the city, who learned yesterday that it is no small matter to assault a female. He was gievn trial before Recorder Empie and found guilty. The fine was named $10 and costs, but James has gone to the county roads to serve for 60 days in default of payment.

Ben Hill, Sam Williams, J. C. Collins, colored, and Mr. D. T. Peterson, will have a hearing Saturday, on a charge of violating the tax ordinance.

Lambert Ford, colored, tried several days ago on a charge of violating the speed law, was taxed with the costs.

BEERY'S MILLINERY OPENING.

Many People Visited Store Yesterday. Souvenirs.

Quite a number of people attended the millinery opening at the store of W. B. Beery & Bros., Nos. 402 and 404 Castle street. The opening was an excellent success, being the first season Messrs. Beery have carried this line. Miss Jeanette King, an experienced milliner, has charge of the department. Attractive souvenirs were given away. The store was decorated with ferns for the occasion.

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ANOTHER GOOD MAN GONE.

James H. Lane, Faithful Old Darkie, Dies at Home in City.

Among the faithful and respected colored men of a former generation—trained in morals and as a workman before the War Between the States—of whom very few of this older generation are left. Yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, the end came to one of these. He was a type of the industrious, thrifty, moral and respected negroes that are found in many a Southern community. For nearly 80 years, James Lane has lived in this community and his word was his honor. His work was always reliable. His character was above reproach. It has been the privilege of the writer to know a number of his class, such as John Harriss Howe, Henry Green, Robert Taylor, among those who have passed away, and John Hargrave, John H. Whitman, Sr., David Bryant, I. G. Burnett and others among the living, and to count them among my friends. Their characters were and are high and their influence good in the community at large and of incalculable benefit to their own race, and reflecting glory to the still older generation of white men, under whom they were trained, and with whom they were associated in the days of the Old South.

James Lane died at his home, No. 410 Red Cross street, rather suddenly, though after a prolonged period of failing health, but with not failure in his trust in God, whom he had long ago learned to love and trust. Beside his widow, he leaves one son and two daughters, and other relatives and many friends, to mourn his loss, but to regain in his good name and his hope of glory hereafter.

For many years he had been a vestryman in St. Mark's Episcopal church, and a faithful and honored member. He was one of the founders of Gilliam Lodge of (colored) Masons.

The funeral will be conducted Thursday afternoon, September 30th, at 3 o'clock, from St. Mark's Episcopal church, corner of Sixth and Grace streets, and his friends, both white and colored, are invited by the family, to attend.

W. M. CUMMING.

FISHING IS FINE.

Splendid Catches Being Made From Seashore Hotel Pier, Wrightsville.

Just now the fishing at Wrightsville Beach is said to be the best of the season, and every day and night the Seashore Hotel pier has been lined with anglers of every degree of proficiency and luck. In addition to drum, which are largely a product of the several inlets at the beach, there was yesterday a fine run of blue fish and large strings were not the exception. Mr. C. L. Barnes led, with 30 fine blue fish; Mr. O. O. Watts succeeded in landing 23; William Evans, 16; Messrs. G. J. Mohr and Dr. J. H. Dreher, 8 each; Messrs. William Smith and Bert Myers, 29 between them, while Mr. George Hutaff, one of the old liners, landed eight fine blues and three drum.

DEATH OF MR. J. W. DULS AFTER A LONG ILLNESS.

Well Known Citizen Passes Last Night in Presence of Family

Many friends will read with sorrow of the death of Mr. J. W. Duls, which occurred at his residence, corner of Second and Nun streets, at 7 o'clock last night, after a long illness

Mr. Duls was born in Paddewisch, Province Hanover, Germany, December 22, 1852, being in his 62nd year. He came to the United States in 1869 and had made Wilmington his home since 1871. In 1879 he engaged in business at No. 114 South Front street, where he carried on business until his death.

He was an active member of the Wilmington Volunteer Fire Department for many years serving as foreman. He was also a member of Howard Relief Fire Company No. 1, now the Germania club, of which he served as president for several years. He was also a member of the Hanover Seaside club.

Mr. Duls married Miss Katie Gieschen on November 3rd, 1886, she having died four years ago.

He is survived by his three children, Dr. H. Duls, F. J. Duls and Miss Marguerite Duls. Also two brothers survive. They are Messrs. Nic Duls, of Charlotte, and H. T. Duls, of this city, and two sisters, Mrs. William Krueger, of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mrs. G. Rhodes, who lives in Germany. The bereaved family will have the tender sympathy of a host of friends.

The funeral will be held from his late residence at 4 o'clock this afternoon, thence to St. Paul's Evangelical Lutheran church. Interment will be made in Oakdale cemetery.

While it was known by his hosts of friends in this city and elsewhere that he was critically ill and that little hopes were entertained for his recovery, nevertheless, the announcement of his death will come as a great shock to them. Mr. Duls was long active in business and was also a public-spirited citizen. He had learned to view life philosophically and bore his sufferings during his long illness with a bravery and a calmness that showed his supreme confidence in an all-wise Providence.

Those lessons which he had learned from a long life he endeavored to inculcate into the minds and hearts of those with whom he came into contact In his death Wilmington loses a useful and upright citizen and one who had rendered a large service to his day and generation.

Fefel Wins Contest.

In the presence of a large crowd of interested friends, Mr. Stuart Fefel last night beat Mr. R. J. Sneed, Jr., in a 100-ball exhibition game of pocket billiards at Warren's. When the game ended, Sneed had 83 balls pocketed. It required about one hour to play the match.

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NEWS OF A DAY FROM THE STATE'S CAPITAL

Gunboat Elfrida, at Newbern, Has Sprung a Leak

Raleigh Pleased With Postoffice Changes—Big Damage Suit Continued—Good Roads Bond Issue in Wayne.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 28.—On account of the report from Newbern that the Elfrida, the gunboat of the North Carolina Naval Reserves, has sprung a leak that makes her unseaworthy for some time to come, Governor Craig today sent application to Secretary of the Navy Daniels for an encampment of the divisions of Naval Reserves for five days at Camp Glenn, Morehead City, beginning October 10th. This is to take the place of a five-day cruise on the Elfrida that had been scheduled for the same time. There is every indication that the order for encampment will be made.

Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 28.—Official information to the North Carolina National Guard headquarters here is to the effect that North Carolina's Naval Reserve gunboat, the Elfrida, has sprung a leak that is giving serious trouble at Newbern. The leak started Sunday and the vessel took in water at the rate of about 40 gallons an hour until it was gotton on the wharves for inspection. The inspection is being made and Governor Craig and Adjutant General Young are anxiously awaiting a report. It is expected that it will be found that some bolt has rusted to the extent that it has given away and possibly dropped out.

There is much satisfaction here at the news from Washington that there is to be a general reorganization of the Raleigh postoffice October 1, when the new two-division system that has been found to work so well in a number of the larger postoffices of the country will be installed here, bringing with it promotion for a number of the clerks who have had long service. The change brings with it the abolition of the office of assistant postmaster, but the present assistant, T. C. Council, who is a Republican, who held over from the administration of Willis Briggs, is to take a clerkship in the financial department of the service.

Damage Suit Continued.

There was called today, before Judge Peebles, in Wake superior court, the trial of a $20,000 damage suit against the Wayne Hardwood Co., in which A. D. Weaver, of Asheville, is the plaintiff. However, the case was ordered continued. Weaver is seeking the damages for injury received in falling from a platform at the plant of the defendant company at Goldsboro while he was in the employ of a Norfolk concern as a lumber inspector and was inspecting lumber at the time of the injury. The suit was instituted in Buncombe and was moved to Wake county for the convenience of the litigants.

Big Bond Issue For Roads.

Representative Mat Allen, of Wayne county, who was a prominent member of the last Legislature, says that just as sure as he gets back to the Legislature for the next session, he proposes to put through for his county a big bond issue for roads, being convinced that good roads are one of the greatest means of real progress for the people at all. He says Wayne now has a fine highway commission that has nothing special that it can do except "hold its hand." Nothing to do anything with and the county suffering and falling behind in the march of progress because of the lack of good roads or any possible means of helping themselves until there is legislative relief.

Cotton Markets in State.

Prices ranging from 9 3-4 cents at Durham to 12 cents at Charlotte are quoted in the bulletin of North Carolina markets for the past week issued by the extension division of markets of the State Department of Agriculture and experiment station today. The prices on the different markets follow: Ahoskie, 10 1-2 to 10 5-8; Charlotte, 12; Durham, 9 3-4; Fayetteville, 10 3-4; Greenville, 11; Hamlet, 10 1-2; Lumberton, 11; Maxton, 10 3-4; Monroe, 11; Newton, 10 1-2; Raleigh, 9 3-4 to 10 5-8; Rocky Mount, 11; Salisbury, 11 1-8; Scotland Neck, 11 1-2; Vanceboro, 11 1-2; Wilmington, 11; Wilson, 11; The report gives the Norfolk, Va., market as 10 3-8 to 11 cents.

WEEKLY WEATHER FORECAST.

Local Rains First Half; Fair and Cooler Last Half of Week.

Washington, Sept. 28.—The weekly weather report, issued by the Weather Bureau today, says:

Middle Atlantic States: Fair and moderately cool weather will prevail the first half of the week. The latter half will be unsettled with probably rains. Local frosts are probable in exposed places the first half of the week.

South Atlantic and East Gulf States: Rains and high winds are probable in the East Gulf States and local rains in the South Atlantic States the first half of the week. The latter half will be fair and cooler.

West Gulf States: The week will be one of generally fair weather except that rains and high winds are probable the next two days over Louisiana and Arkansas. The weather will become cooler by Friday.

LIKE FINDING MONEY

J. Hicks Bunting Offers Popular Medicine at Half Price.

J. Hicks Bunting, the popular druggist, is making an offer that is just like finding money, for he is selling a regular 50 cent bottle of Dr. Howard's celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia at half price. In addition to this large discount he agrees to return the money to any purchaser whom the specific does not cure.

It is quite unusual to be able to buy fifty cent pieces for a quarter, but that is what this offer really means, for it is only recently through the solicitation of Druggist J. Hicks Bunting that this medicine could be bought for less than fifty cents. He urged the proprietors to allow him to sell it at this reduced price for a little while, agreeing to sell a certain amount. The result has justified his good judgment for the sale has been something remarkable.

The specific is very pleasant to take, coming in the form of small granules, and there are sixty doses in every package. It is especially convenient when traveling, and no one should start on a journey without a bottle of this reliable medicine.

DOINGS AROUND DUNN

Prosperity Among Farmers—Three Flour Mills—Bellamy and McLeod

(Special Star Correspondence).

Dunn, N. C., Sept. 28.—Last Saturday 400 bales of cotton were sold at a price of 11 1-4c. For the past two weeks from 100 to 200 bales a day have been coming in to be sold on this market.

The farmers in this section are in a pretty fair shape to get through the winter. They have plenty of potatoes, peas and wheat, and have saved a great deal of hay. They are in perhaps the best shape they have been in for some years.

Dunn has secured the Boosters' Club Chautauqua for the first four days in October . Everybody is looking forward with much interest to this chautauqua, this being the first ever held in Dunn.

The First National Bank building is at last entirely completed and the bank opened up for business in their new building. The State Bank & Trust Co., has moved into the old First National building and opened up for work there.

Hon. H. L. Godwin was called to Washington last Friday on important business connected with the departments. He expects to be away until the middle of the week.

Last week Hon. Geo. H. Bellamy, familiarly known as the "Duke of Brunswick," and Hon. Geo. B. McLeod, of Robeson county, were visitors to Dunn and called on Congressman Godwin.

Mr. J. E. Hood and family of Kinston, N. C., spent Sunday night in town with Mr. D. H. Hood. They are on their way to Petersburg, Fla., where they will spend the winter. Mr. Hood and family are making this trip through the on automobile.

Mr. G. F. Pope will soon have a merchant flour mill in operation here. His brother, Mr. P. F. Pope, has one in Coats, and Mr. S. C. Neighbors owns and operates one in this township. Wheat growers and farmers in this community will find it very convenient to get good flour with three mills in the county.

Three new lawyers have located in Harnett county recently. Md. Otis P. Shell and Mr. E. Carlye West have both opened up offices in the new First National Bank building, in this place and Mr. S. C. Creech has located at Coats.

WILL RETURN TO WILMINGTON.

Mr. Henry Bowden to be Succeeded by Mr. A. B. Anderson at Warsaw.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Warsaw, Sept. 28. — Mr. A. B. Anderson, who for six years was the popular and efficient host of the Warsaw Inn, will again resume the management of that hotel on October first. Mr. Anderson resigned the management of the hotel in the spring, and was succeeded as proprietor by Mr. Henry Bowden, of Wilmington, the owner of the building. The family of Mr. Bowden, who have spent the summer here, will return to Wilmington this week, to the regret of their many friends of this place.

The new school dormitory is now completed, and will be occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Barden and family, who will have charge of the boarding department of the school.

Mr. Stanley Wall and family will move to the Quinn house on College street. The house vacated by them will be occupied by the family of Mr. Sanderlin. Mr. Charlie Johnson will move his family to the Williams place on Main street, and Mr. Harry Hazlett will move from his farm to occupy his house. Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Womack will move to the Brown place, and Dr. W. D. Crocker, who has recently purchased Mrs. Albritton's place, will move his family there.

NEW HOSPITAL AT TARBORO

Contract Awarded by County Commissioners to Sanford Firm

(Special Star Correspondence).

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 28.—On Saturday at Tarboro the contract for the Edgecombe General Hospital was awarded by the county commissioners, the successful bidder being J. B. Stout & Co., of Sanford, and the price named being $10,693. The price named does not include the plumbing, heating, gas plant or furnishings for the building, and only embraces the building itself, which is to be of stone and brick and the roof of tile. The details of construction plans are along the lines of the most improved and the structure when completed will embrace practically every known improvement for sanitation and hospital comfort.

The stipulation o fthe award is that the building is to be completed within four months and building operations will be started immediately. The building when completed will be used in conjunction with the present Pittman Hospital at Tarboro and will have a capacity for 50 patients, accommodating 35 whites and 15 colored.

A. & M. PUBLICATIONS COMBINE

Wau Gau Rac and Red and White Merged into Semi-Monthly.

(Special Star Correspondence).

West Raleigh, N. C., Sept. 28.— The Wau Gau Rac, the little college weekly that has been coming out for the last few years, containing the news of the college in general and of all the athletic events, has been consolidated with the Red and White, a monthly gotten out by the Pullen and Leazer Literary societies.

The new publication will come out twice a month and will be on the order of a weekly newspaper, although not as large. The first issue is now in the press and will be out the latter part of the week.

It is the hope of the new editors to make this new publication surpass the old ones, as the editors that were elected last year for the two publications will act jointly in this capacity for the new paper.

Mr. N. S. Sharpe, of Waterloo, Iowa, and Mr. W. A. Kenedy, of Burgaw, N. C., will be the editors, while Mr. R. W. Hamilton, of Jonesville, S. C., and Mr. R. O. Lindsay, of Reidsville, will be the business managers.

COAST LINE TRESTLE BURNED

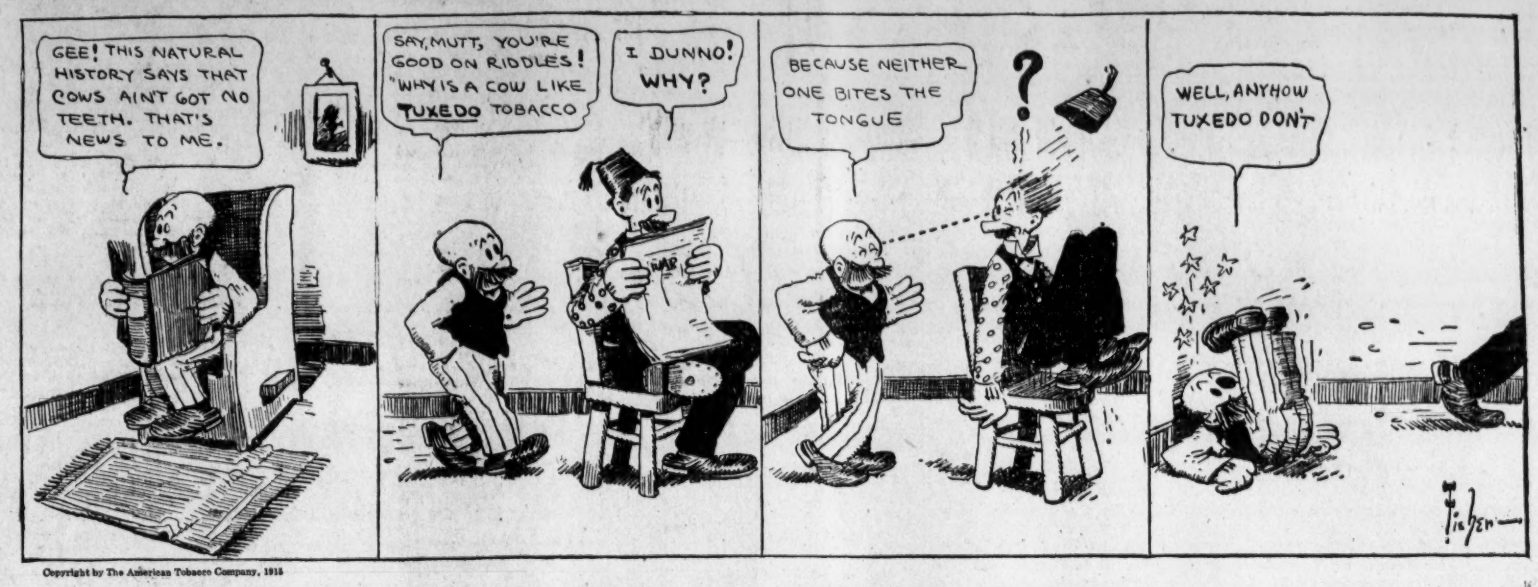
Traffic Tied up Several Hours Near Rennert, on Main Line.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Rocky Mount, N. C., Sept. 28.—For more than three hours yesterday the main line of the Atlantic Coast Line was blocked at a point near Rennert, in Robeson county, when flames from an unknown origin destroyed about 20 feet of trestle. It so happed that there were no passenger trains to pass about the hour of 5 p. m. yesterday, when the flames were discovered, and the delays in each instance were occasioned with the freight traffic. There was a bridge crew of the company in close proximity to the burned structure and almost before the flames had been conquered construction work looking to the opening of the trackage was underway.

Boston, Sept. 28.—Miss Molla Bjurstedt, of Norway, the National woman tennis champion, today won her matches in both the singles and doubles divisions of the annual woman's tournament on the court of the Longwood Cricket Club. In each case her victories were in straight sets.

MUTT AND JEFF - - - - - - - - By BUD FISHER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MR. W. H. DANIEL, SR., DEAD.

Was Foremost Citizen of Mullins and One of Her Best Men.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Mullins, S. C., Sept. 28.—Mr. W. H. Daniel, Sr., one of the oldest and foremost citizens of Mullins, died at his residence on Wine street, Saturday morning, September 25th, and was buried at Cedardale cemetery Sunday afternoon in the presence of a concourse of people, numbering more than 1,000. The religious services were conducted from the Baptist church, of which he was a life-long member and chairman of the board of deacons. He was also the treasurer of the church. The beautiful auditorium of the church could not accommodate half the throng which gathered to show honor and respect to the memory of their dead friend. The church services were conducted by his pastor, Rev. R. D. Stevenson, assisted by Rev. S. R. Hope, of the Presbyterian church; Rev. R. Ford, D. D., of Marion, and Rev. J. I. Allen, of Dillon.

Mr. Daniel was a member of Damascus Lodge, No. 161 A. F. M., and was buried with the beautiful ceremonies of the order, members of the craft from Fork, Marion, Latta and Dillon lodges joining with the members of his own lodge in the ceremonies.

Mr. Daniel was easily the foremost citizen of his town and his name is closely connected with the history of Mullins. As the pioneer merchant of the town (having been actively engaged in business since 1869) he did more in the upbuilding of the town and community than any other man who lived in his day.

By his frugality and honest business methods, he amassed a small fortune, and it can be truthfully said that there is not in all the wealth which he accumulated a dollar tainted with dishonesty or procured through questionable methods.

The highest tribute that can be paid to any man, when he is gone, is to say "that he was a good man." Such can truly be said of Mr. Daniel. He left to his family the priceless heritage of a Christian character. Mr. Daniel was a subscriber to and read the first issue of The Morning Star, and during all his long life never missed a copy, and up to a few months previous to his death it was his daily habit to read from The Star the current news, as a result of which no man was better posted on the current events of the day.

The writer had known Mr. Daniel for over forty years and during all these years has been thrown with him more or less intimately, having worked for him in the capacity of clerk and bookkeeper, part of the time boarding in his home, thus having an opportunity to know him in the various relations of life, in all of which he was true and loyal. There have come times in the life of the writer when he needed help, sympathy and adivce, all of which were freely given, and because of the strong ties of friendship which have grown with the years of pleasant association, the writer feels a personal loss at the passing of him who was a friend indeed.

Mr. Daniel died as he lived, honored and respected, and has gone to live with the God whom he loved and served so faithfully. M. M. BYRD.

GHOULS USE DYNAMITE.

Explosion Heard in Old Church Yard at Washington, N. C.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 28.—The mystery surrounding an explosion in old St. Peter's church yard, Episcopal, at Washington several nights ago, was solved yesterday by the finding of tools, including crowbars and picks, at a grave. It is believed dynamite was used by ghouls when they could not open the grave with the implements. Uninformed, it is supposed that the robbers hoped to make a rich haul from the mound, which had been occupied by the remains of a prominent woman until 1907, when they were removed to a cemetery. The church yard is just a block from the principal street crossing in the Pamlico rived town.

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 28.—The opening of the naval war game designed to test the defensive and strategical strength of the Atlantic fleet has been deferred from October 1 to October 6. For 15 days the "enemy" fleet and the home fleet will be engaged in a struggle to respectively invade and defend the coast from the Virginia Capes to Cape Cod, the Navy Department allowing that time to the "enemy" to make a landing.

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TOP O' THE MORNING

If you have knowledge, let others light their candles at it.

—FULLER.

The war started in September instead of May.

Nobody can love a barbecueless country all the time.

Get ready for the State Fair. It ought to be a hummer this time.

Grand Duke Nicholas must have gained the misapprobation of his press agent.

The difference between some cigars and the end of a tar rope is in favor of the rope.

Invaders who land in this country from Europe had better bring their meal tickets along.

It is a lot easier to make a living by getting in the limelight and depending on the gate receipts.

One disadvantage about being young is that we don't get sufficient experience in time to profit by it.

We don't know who is going to eat Christmas dinner in Petrograd or get their Cristmas greetings from the boulevardiennes in Paris.

Some people think they have the facts in the case without stopping to consider the fact that many people tell only what they imagine.

The two snakes which slipped aboard Noah's ark never would have escaped being seen if a Kentuckian had been in charge of the gang plank.

A fellow says he does his own thinking, but just the same he reads what other people think in connection with something that he never thought of before.

An organization was affected for the purpose of introducing simplified spelling, but slang goes on introducing itself without depending on the action of any other nation.

One thing about having pipe dreams about what all we intended to do in 1915 is that they will be left behind when this year of trouble comes to a close in something like 90 days.

The Baltimore Sun regards it as a remarkable thing that votes in Indianapolis were bought at 10 cents. Of course that wasn't the regular price. It was the price for the cheap skate vote.

At least four cities will be in the bidding for the National Democratic convention next year. Dallas, a Texas city of 150,000 population, is anxious for the honor, but it makes Chicago, Philadelphia and Buffalo laugh.

The Jacksonville Times-Union remarks that Senator Burton, of Ohio, is "out for the presidency." Senator Burton is a very nice sort of man, but he will regret to learn in November next year that he will keep on being one of the "outs."

New York claims to have a great hoard of European gold and is insisting on getting rid of it. Wall Street might have sent it South and saved Secretary McAdoo that trouble of sending the government's yellow metal to the South to boost the price of cotton.

Probably if they will increase the property assessment and compel us to pay more taxes, it might convince us that the only way to lower the tax is to cut out the public extravagance which makes assessments and increased taxes absolutely necessary.

A special dispatch from Washington to the Chicago Tribune announces that Col. Theodore Roosevelt is "again a candidate for the Republican nomination for President." Again, is it? When had he quit being a candidate for the nomination? He sand-bagged the G. O. P. three years ago, because it would not recognize his perpetual candidacy for President.

DO WE KNOW IT'S LOADED?

Since cotton got up to 10 and 11 cents the mail order houses of the North are flooding the South with circulars, catalougles and price lists. They know when money gets to flowing in the South and they know how to turn the dollar tide to the North. All that some of us seem to know is to help them do it and to enable them to get the money that should remain in the South and become so plentiful that the interest rate won't be so high when we have to borrow money or get credit.

The mail order houses deserve lots of credit for their enterprise. They know something, and we—why, we just keep on sending them the South's money so it can increase the volume of money up North. If we have ever thought of keeping a large volume of money on tap in the South, we have never though about it so's you'd notice it.

We are not urging anybody to keep their money at home. We are simply referring to the fact that thousands kiss it good bye and send it up North where it waits for another wad to come on by the same route. Now and then we shoot each other without knowing that the gun is loaded, and besides that there are other things that we do not suspect are loaded.

However, no merchant who is not pushing judicious local newspaper advertising right now has any right to complain if the people of his community send their money to mail order houses elsewhere. If the home merchant won't bid for the trade of the local housewife or her husband, he has no right to complain when they give their trade to those who do bid for it and bid strong. It is an immutable law of human nature that a person likes to spend his money with those who seem to be enterprising enough to make a strong bid for it, other things being apparently equal.

Wilmington newspapers go into practically every home in this community where it is worth while for a mail order circular to go, thus giving the Wilmington merchants the opportunity to reach all the prospective mail order customers first hand and at close range, making attractive and impressive bids for the local trade in competition with the mail order houses. What is the average Wilmington merchant doing to meet the unusual competition just at this time—the beginning of a new fall season when everybody who ever buys is going to buy and when money is getting free for the first time in nearly two years?

There are two sides to the mail order question. The newspapers can appeal to the consumers to spend their money at home, but it is going to have mighty little effect so long as the home merchants themselves are not backing up the appeal through the newspapers.

SEEING FROM A CAR WINDOW

Once a correspondent of a New York paper took a trip through the South and wrote a long account of his observations just as if he had seen the South and knew all about it. He saw it from a car window. He stopped in a few cities and wrote a general description of all Southern cities and Southern life in general, judged by the cities he visited and by what he saw from the car window. He pronounced the South Atlantic a dreary region, with sleepy towns at rare intervals, and described Southern agriculture as carried on in a few cotton and corn patches seen along the railroads. He never saw any resources, or potentialities, or opportunities, for he passed them all while seated in a comfortable Pullman car.

While passing down a certain railroad running through a certain State, he wrote it down as traversing a country of swamps and poor sand ridges, a conclusion at which he jumped after looking out from a car window. As a matter of fact, along that railroad and out of sight from the train was a region which produced more value per acre than any other known land in America. It was a land of cotton, tobacco, rice, peanuts, and various products galore, but he did not know it, for he never saw the country. He did see swamps and sand hills, but he did not observe the enormous timber wealth of the swamps and did not observe that the sand hills probably are the geologic remains of the shore of a lake or probably of the bottom of one.

How much more intelligent could the correspondent have made his article if he had not written from a merely cursory, superficial, unintelligible view. Suppose it had been the day of good roads and he could have whizzed through the country, getting a view of its actual richness, productive versatility, resources and possibilities. That is what the country lost then by not having modern highways over which touring motor cars could pass at leisure.

Florida is not content any longer to be seen from a car window and be judged by its swamps, lagoons, pine barrens and palmetto jungles. "The State of Florida is thoroughly awake on the subject of goods roads," declares the Plant City Courier, "and there is nothing it can do and no way in which it can spend its money that will develope the State faster, or pay larger dividends, than road building." That is a vast truth in a nutshell, and yet here is another striking utterance by the Palatka Times-Herald:

"Every good road added to Florida's accumulation of miles of good highways will mean that more and more of our winter visitors will be enabled to see our State in other ways than from a car window. We venture to say that very few could ride from Miami up the East Coast, across the center of the State and down the West Coast to Fort Myers without finding some one piece of land that suited some spot he would be pleased at some time to call home. Good roads for Florida mean more for Florida than any other one item—means the quick advancement and growth of the State."

How does Eastern North Carolina liked to be judged from a car window? How would the counties along our railroads like to be sized up by some Northern newspaper man who may look out of a Pullman car occassionally and see a primeval, uninviting streak of country without good roads, flourishing farms and nice country homes? What sort of a story would one write of the counties and the section along the route based solely upon what is to be seen from the car window between Wilmington and Lumberton or between Wilmington and Fayetteville or between Wilmington and Newbern, for instance?

Good roads will develop the farms, farmers will build nice homes, and general development will follow, so that motor car tourists can see and talk about the Nation's Garden Spot as they saw it and were in it. This magnificent portion of North Carolina will have to get out of the car window class.

NEW INDUSTRIES MADE POSSIBLE.

Alabama is proving by organized effort an argument that The Star has often advanced as the reason that the South should abandon the one-crop idea—one crop of anything—and diversify its agriculture on broad lines. Diversified agriculture means diversified industries, and the fact is it creates opportunities for industries and manufacturing enterprises unheard of before.

North Carolina produces cotton and has cotton factories. North Carolina produces tobacco and has tobacco factories. We might enumerate all along down the line in many particulars, showing that the production of raw material creates the opportunity for factories to manufacture the material where it is produced. That really is logical, for it is an economic rule that where the raw material is produced that is where the manufactured product can be turned out with the greatest economy.

Well, Alabama has made a systematic study of the advantages of diversified farming. The state agricultural department has had the assistance of chambers of commerce, agricultural societies, the state federation of women's clubs, school superintendents, business men, bankers, farmers, demonstration agents, and everybody that would join in and promote and study and report the outcome of experiments and experiences. An outside assistant has been the International Harvester Company, of Chicago, which has carried on an effective propaganda for diversified agriculture and is aiding in reporting the results.

The conclusion reached from the study is that diversified agriculture paves the way for many new industries, indicated by the simple fact that wheat growing in North Carolina has created the necessity for the flouring mill industry. The Harvester company thus states the case in a summary to be found in a little pamphlet:

"Instead of grabbing business from each other, towns are beginning to look to the country, out in the fields of growing corn and wheat and hay. They mean beef and pork which beckon the packing house and storage plant. More corn means more cereal mills, glucose factories, starch factories. Flour mills locate in wheat producing sections. Creameries follow the dairy cow and the truck patch calls for the canning factory. We must not forget that every farm is a factory."

We have concrete illustration of all the foregoing right here in North Carolina. Eastern North Carolina's great strawberry industry opened the way for crate factories and it is going to create a demand for more factories of a different kind. That is the way it goes. An evolutionary process is the outcome of a diversification of either agriculture or industry. We ought not to manufacture only one thing any more than we should grow only one crop.

AN UNSEEN HAND IN COTTON?

Just before Great Britain put cotton on the contraband list she let it be known that she had some sort of scheme up her sleeve that would virtually counteract its effect so far as the Southern cotton grower was concerned, by standing behind the market and seeing that there was no slump. It was intimated that Great Britain would be in the market herself, though not in her own name, and without showing her hand, for immense quantities of the staple, for present and future needs, and especially for the purpose of banking up reserve supplies for use at the end of the war. Just how she was going to get her big supply of cotton and back up the market and appease whatever wrath on the part of the Southern producer her contraband order might create, she has never told us.

That talk about Great Britain's buying vast stores of cotton for the use of her mills at the end of the war brought about intimations that Germany would not stand by and see her arch enemy store up supplies of the staple for after-the-war needs and she herself be caught at the end of the conflict with no cotton to supply the tremendous demands of her own industries and people. There were intimations that both Germany and Great Britain would be heavy buyers in the American market, even if the cotton could not be shipped to their ports now, the idea being that they would have buyers in America to purchase vast quantities of the staple to be shipped when the war closes.

Just what part Great Britain and Germany have actually played in the recent advances that have brought prices up from around eight cents to nearly twelve cents is a matter of interesting speculation. Who actually knows that both countries are not buying vast quantities of the staple, thus taking it off the market and "backing up" the price?

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(State Board of Health.)

Of 162 patients treated for tuberculosis at the State Sanatorium last year, it is noticeable that of this number 31 were housewives and 23 were farmers. The next highest numbers classed according to their occupations were 14 students, 10 cotton mill operators, eight merchants and seven store clerks. The number of males was 105 and of females 57. The number married was 82, single 69, and widowed 11.

The 31 housewives were 58 per cent of the number of female patients at the Sanatorium. Overwork might be assigned as the chief cause of their presence there. Overwork that brings on worry, indigestion, nervousness, sleeplessness and finally a general break-down is probably the greatest factor predisposing tuberculosis, and housewives seem to fall easy victims to the disease through this channel. The same cause, with lack of fresh air and proper exercise, might also account for the large number of students, operators, merchants and clerks who were also patients.

But the large number of farmers is somewhat puzzling. Farm life is usually regarded as a fresh air life, even tempered, and altogether healthful. Theoretically it is but as it is practiced by most people it is not. Sitting and sleeping in a closed, ill ventilated room from 6 in the evening to 6 in the morning, one-half of the time and the half that needs fresh air most, is not altogether ideal from a health standpoint. Modern sanitation ideas pertaining to farm life have not as yet been widely accepted and the importance of disease prevention is just beginning to be felt. It is evidently of the utmost importance that the knowledge of the spread and prevention of tuberculosis be speedily carried to the country districts.

CURRENT COMMENT.

A day or two ago we picked up a newspaper published in the capital city of a well known county in this State and in looking over the calendar of a coming term of Superior Court, found that there were 18 actions for divorce docketed. Evidently the matrimonial sea in that particular section is pretty rough and somebody needs to pour oil on the troubled waters.—Newbern Sun.

The Valdosta Times says: "With our exports of cotton nearly 50 per cent more this year than they were last year, it is reasonable to predict that the foreign demand will continue and that the price of cotton will go to 14 or 15 cents before another crop is gathered." We should not compare with the exports of last year when transportation was paralyzed. Our exports of cotton are not up to the normal.—Jacksonville Times-Union.

The abandonment of the idea of raising a monument to J. P. Caldwell is regrettable, but under the circumstances unquestionably the proper thing to do. Nothing could possibly be more malapropos than a begging campaign for such an object; and it is evidence of the good taste of the proponents of the scheme that they realized it. The truth is Charlotte alone ought to raise the monument to the man who did more than any other individual toward putting Charlotte on the map.—Greensboro News.

The general public had been under the impression that the Lever bill imposed restrictions detrimental to the interests of the Southern cotton growers, but Financial America has obtained a "consensus" of opinion that rather goes to show the contrary. The Observer copies much of the report, including opinion from cotton buyers in North Carolina and one firm in South Carolina. Reviewing the results of the canvass, Financial America says the divergence of opinions expressed is peculiar to the different lines of activity engaged. The only question on which there was any unanimity was that of the prohibition of trading by Americans in the Liverpool contracts. All those questioned seem to think this the main defect in the law and one which should be remedied at once. That a majority express themselves as satisfied with the general practices of the act is encouraging. They further augment this expression by showing their desire to be left free from further legislation. The main point of the inquiry was to ascertain what benefit the Southern farmer has gained through the measure. The Memphis Cotton Exchange answers this when it states that the bill "has done more for the Southern farmer than any legislation in his interest for 50 years." Taking this as a fact, the authors of the Lever bill should be congratulated, first for the benefit they have brought to our tillers of the soil and secondly for removing the objectionable feature of speculation in our greatest staple.—Charlotte Observer.

The Highland Pines Inn will open early in December and the other hotels at about the usual time. The landlords are looking forward to a satisfactory season. There is a belief that the worst is past and that by the holidays those who have been accustomed to spend a few weeks or months in the South will feel justified in resuming their old travel habits. There is one travel habit that will not be resumed for some time and that is the see-Europe proclivity. America will be good enough for a great many people this winter who have not thought they could get through a winter without crossing the water. The sunshine in the south of Europe hasn't anything on the sand hill brand, and it is a whole lot less dangerous, to say nothing of the expense.—Southern Pines Citizen.

LARGE AUDIENCES ATTEND

Religious Education Conference in First Baptist Church at Kinston.

(Special Star Correspondence).

Kinston, N. C., Sept. 28.—Congregations that pack the auditorium are attending a religious education conference in the new First Baptist church here. Last night Dr. Hight C. Moore, editor of the Biblical Recorder, made an address on "Reading for Efficiency." Dr. R. T. Vann, secretary of the board of education, had preceded him. A dozen other notables to attend the conference includes Dr. Livingston Johnson, Dr. Love, of Richmond, and Dr. J. T. Henderson, of Chattanooga.

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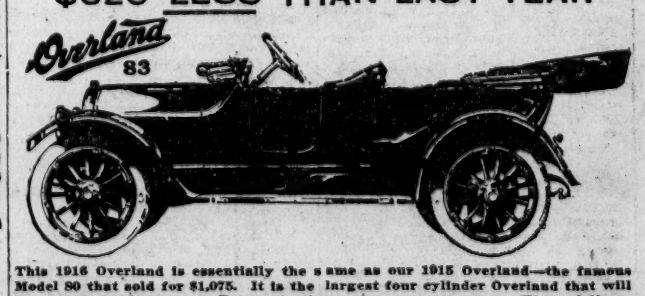

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Able Addresses by Congressmen Moore and Small.

Latter Pledges Support in Getting Appropriation for Link Between Wilmington and Beaufort—Public Meeting Yesterday.

The importance both from a commercial and military standpoint of securing an inland waterway along the Atlantic Coast between Massachusetts and Florida, was shown in the strikingly able addresses by Congressman J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, president of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association, and Congressman John H. Small at the public meeting at the Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon. The project was again endorsed by the Chamber and the speakers were assured that Wilmington will be represented at the annual convention of the Deeper Waterways Association which will be held early in November in Savannah, Ga.

Congressman Small in the course of his address spoke of his coming to Wilmington several years ago and of his promise at that time if Wilmington would support the construction of the link between Norfolk and Beaufort that when the opportune time came he would use his influence to have the link between Beaufort and Wilmington built.

"I value my word and good faith," Congressman Small said, "and whatever influence I possess and whatever I can do is pledged to the construction of the link between your city and Beaufort, now that work has started on the first link between Norfolk and Beaufort."

Congressman Moore showed the necessity for securing the inland waterways, and brought out in a striking manner the vast sums of money that have been spent in the development of the West in providing for irrigation and also for deepening the rivers such as the Ohio, Mississippi and Missouri. The question is not one of politics at all, he declared, but one in which both Democrats and Republicans should be interested.

He spoke of his visit to Wilmington four years ago and declared that he had been greatly impressed with the many signs of progress he had noted. At the outset he wished to make two points clear, he said, the first being that the Atlantic Waterways Association does not employ any canvassers for securing funds and the second being that he and Congressman Small did not oppose railroad transportation. Their interest in the proposition was wholly devoid of any selfish motive, he said, their sole object being to be of public service.

He thought the idea that development of waterways would work to the disadvantage of the railroads was an absurdity and gave figures to show that the increase of volume of water freight always means an increased volume of freight for the railroads.

In the development of the inland waterway, he said, Wilmington has an important part. He was glad to know that this city is very much on the map by reason of her activities. When the good Lord laid out certain streams along the Atlantic coast from Massachusetts to Florida, he said, it seems that He intended that man should improve them. If the people in this territory wish to live in solitude they can do so, he stated, but when the way is open, he saw no reason why steps should not be taken to make connections by which transportation can be carried on. The idea of establishing the waterway is an entirely feasible one, he declared, and has been pronounced to be entirely practical by the United States engineers.

Between New York and Philadelphia, a canal had been completed as early as 1834 and vessels drawing seven feet can now pass from New York to Delaware Bay while vessels of ten feet can pass to Beaufort. However, a chain is no stronger than its weakest link, he stated, and what is now needed is to connect up the different parts of the waterway. Between the Delaware and Chesapeake bays, a distance of 13 miles, a canal is in operation, but it is the plan to make it deeper and wider and to allow vessels to use it free of charge.

Congressman Moore next spoke of the marvelous agricultural resources of North Carolina and declared that in his opinion it is a great waste of opportunity not to develop them. He showed how the inland waterway would be of tremendous help not only in the development of the agricultural and manufacturing industries, but also in providing for the transportation of lumber. He estimated that there were 160,000,000 acres of waste land east of the Appalachians of which more than half has been entirely undeveloped.

In the face of these tremendous resources that need to be developed, the United States is taking your money to develop the arid and semi-arid places in the West, he declared, and has already spent the enormous sum of $86,000,000 in this work. He spoke of a visit he made last spring to the West and his surprise when he found that the amount expended in reclaiming these waste places amounted to $7,500 for each farm. He thought that it was only the part of expediency to use more of this money in the East.

He pointed out that there has been $20,000,000 spent on the Missouri river because the people living in that section have gotten together and have demanded it. He thought that the people of the East should exert themselves more.

Congressman Moore, who is a Republican, took a shot at Senator Burton, of Ohio, who attempted last spring to hold up appropriations for rivers and harbors, and declared that he believed the Senator was actuated largely by presidential aspirations, wishing to become known as a great economist.

He pointed out that there has been spent on the Ohio $63,000,000 for deepening the river and that its principal use is to furnish an outlet for the coal and sand from Pittsburg. While not objecting to this money being spent, he thought that some of it should be used in the East. He had found that on the Columbia river in the West there have been $16,000,000 spent in the last 30 years while on the Delaware river the total since the organization of the government spent in improvements amounts only to $14,000,000. And yet the total commerce of the Columbia river annually amounts only to $4,000,000, while on the Delaware it amounts to $27,000,000. On the Mississippi there has been spent $18,000,000 and yet this has been devoted to the building of

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FINE DISPLAY AT POLVOGT'S

Latest Millinery Creations of Many Designs Shown at Opening—New Styles in Dresses.

Dainty creations of many designs and in the latest colors and newest shapes and shades were viewed with delight by the hundreds of Wilmington women who visited Polvogt's store in the Southern Building yesterday, the occasion being the annual millinery opening which will continue through today. This popular store has laid in a stock of hats, dress goods and coat suits that will appeal to the most fastidious and exacting.

Mrs. M. H. Richter, in charge of the millinery department, and her assistants were very obliging in their efforts to explain the latest styles in the world of hatdom. Velvet plays an important part in the hats this year and among the novelties are the broad trimmed capelines with collapsible beretta crowns and two-piece brims. The fancy ostrich in a variety of effects is being used extensively this season, one of the most popular being the broad and flat French plumes with rich heads. The incoming of the high crowns in hats has been responsible for a revival in plumes.

One of the popular styles is the Girondine hat, made of black velvet, and trimmed in black ribbon. Bird motifs are being much used this year. Velvet satin and silk and also muslin and chiffon flowers are also popular. Fur is an important part of the trimmings which include ostrich feathers, fancy feathers, wings, bands and quills, while flowers are also used. Veils are expected to be used extensively this winter.

Black seems to be the predominant color for the season, although purple, red and blue shades are also expected to be much worn, while the greys have not yet lost their vogue.

As a fitting introduction to the wealth of material to be found in the store, Mr. H. V. Jenkins decorated the three handsome show windows in splendid effects. In one is shown the net Castle flouncing materials in all the new shades while in another window is displayed to fine advantage the prevailing styles in hats and in the third the latest coat suit styles.

In the dress goods department is shown a vast array of dress materials in a range of colors including garbadines, silk and wool poplins, plaid and striped silks, the new vigereaux, chiffon broadcloths in colors, wool plaids, shepherd suitings and French serges.

The prevailing colors in coat suits this year seem to be brown, green and blue and there are plenty of styles from which to make a selection. The Russian blouse effect is one of the most popular. In evening dresses that is a variety of styles including the striped marquisettes and chiffons.

GOES TO MONTGOMERY.

Former Wilmingtonian Leaves Atlanta to Become Advertising Manager.

As stated in The Star recently, Mr. Bryan Newkirk, a native of this city, and well known here to many friends, recently resigned his position on the Atlanta Constitution to become advertising manager of the Montgomery (Ala.) Journal. In last Sunday's issue of the Constitution is carried a likeness of Mr. Newkirk, and in connection with this the following announcement:

"Bryan W. Newkirk, one of the most popular and successful advertising men of the city, has resigned from The Constitution staff to take charge of the advertising department of The Montgomery Journal. He left last week to assume his new duties.

"Mr. Newkirk's phenomenal rise in the newspaper game is itself ample proof of his value. It was no surprise to his Atlanta colleagues that he was secured as advertising manager of the Montgomery paper.

"Beginning in the "classified" department of The Constitution, he soon became recognized as one of the ablest solicitors in the city, and an expert in every phase of advertising. While regretting to see him leave Atlanta, his friends here congratulate him upon his promotion."

BRIGHT FUTURE FOR THE SOUTH

Col. J. S. Cunningham Thinks Cotton Price Good Omen.

Conforming to the usual sentiment, Co. John S. Cunningham, who has charge of the Bureau of Crop Estimates, of the United States Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C., expressed himself yesterday as being well pleased with the rise in the cotton market, and thinks it a great help toward bringing profitable settlers to this garden spot.

He heartily approves of the work of Mr. Hugh McRae, who is bringing people and settling them in this section, to farm and sell their crops on the local market, and buy their supplies here, which means an extra bringing of money and business to the community.

Colonel Cunningham's home is in Roxboro, and he has often visited Wilmington, having been a member of the State Guards, and visited during encampments. He is a guest at the Orton.

LEWIS DEATH, HOMICIDE.

Coroner Stanley, of Wayne County, Supervises Autopsy.

The death of Callanan H. Lewis Monday night at the James Walker Memorial Hospital was pronounced yesterday to be a result of the blow on the head given him at the Enterprise Lumber Plant at Mt. Olive, by Cleveland Brice, another negro, several weeks ago.

The autopsy was performed by Dr. Coddington, superintendent of the hospital, under the supervision of Coroner Stanley, of Wayne county, who came here for that purpose. The death result was pronounced as above stated.

Brice made his escape while the body of Lewis was being rushed here for medical aid, and has not yet been heard of. This is the original home of Lewis, who had been working at Mt. Olive.

ARRESTED FROM BLAIRHALL.

Six Sailors Charged with Desertion on British Steamer Yesterday.

Messrs. G. Gensen, D. H. Simons, J. Smith, J. G. W. Landgren, E. Neilson and B. Bailey, sailors on the British steamer Blairhall, now loading cotton at the Champion Compress, were arrested yesterday upon complaint of Capt. O. J. Anderson, master of the steamer. The arrests were made by Deputy Marshal Fennell, assisted by County Officer H. Mack Godwin. The men had refused to work and the charge against them was desertion. Smith and Simons secured their discharge and have gone to Norfolk, Va., where they expect to ship on another steamer.

COUNCIL AUTHORIZES LOAN

City Will Borrow Fifty Thousand Dollars For Current Expenses—Other Routine Matters.

For the purpose of authorizing a loan of $50,000 to be used for current expenses of the city of Wilmington, a special meeting of Council was held yesterday afternoon at 1 o'clock. Mayor Moore presided and Councilmen Jones, Bunting, Hall and McCaig were in attendance. Several routine matters received consideration. The resolution authorizing the loan follows:

"Whereas, it is necessary for the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, to borrow a sum of money for its necessary and current expenses during the period intervening prior to the collection of taxes for the present fiscal year, which said taxes are not due until the 1st day of October ensuing, and are not generally paid until much later in the fiscal year.

"Now therefore, be it resolved, by the Council of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, that the city borrow the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000), upon its negotiable promissory note, payable to bearer at Hanover National Bank, in the City of New York, on the 1st day of January, 1916, said loan to bear interest at the rate of 3 3-8 per cent. per annum.

"And the Mayor of said city is hereby authorized and directed to execute said note in the name of and on behalf of the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, and to cause the seal of the city to be affixed thereto, and the city clerk and treasurer is authorized and directed to attest the execution of said promissory note and to deliver the same to the purchasers thereof upon the payment to him of the sum of Fifty Thousand Dollars ($50,000)."

It was decided to have the city attorney bring what is known as an agreed case against the Atlantic Coast Line and the Seaboard Air Line with reference to the question as to whether or not the railroads shall be made to pay a license tax of $300 for the operation of warehouses. The tax has not yet been paid.

Mr. Archie Marine, who was given the contract for painting the standpipe at the pumping station, has given up the proposition because he did not consider that he could do the work for the amount stated in his bid without losing money. The contract will be awarded to the next lowest bidder.

Councilman Jones was authorized to have a telephone installed at the home of Mr. Davis, an employe of the Water and Sewerage Department.

MR. WALTERS OPTIMISTIC

Better Times for the South—Loan to the Allies Favored.

An interview in New York with Mr. Henry Walters, chairman of the board of the Atlantic Coast Line, and recently elected to a similar position with the Safe Deposit and Trust Company comes over private wires in Baltimore Monday to several local banking houses and reprinted in the Baltimore Sun of yesterday. Mr. Walters favors the loan to the Allies now under negotiation and speaks of the favorable outlook for business in the South. According to the dispatch, Mr. Walters says, in part:

"The South after years of the strictest economy has seen its worst times and a steady improvement has begun in that section in the last 30 days. Business shows a marked improvement and the pig iron and lumber markets are sharing in this improvement. Better prices are being quoted for both commodities.

"The present crop of cotton in the South is the cheapest raised since 1895, when the cost of production did not average much over 6 cents. I do not see how cotton now picked can exceed 4,000,000 bales. In view of the great decrease in the cost of production, as reported by the government, and the use of only half the amount of fertilizers utilized on the land in previous years I understand many of the Northern manufacturers are buying freely at the best prices.

Mr. Walters said that the Allies should be given credit by this country upon satisfactory terms, and that all sections of the country should participate in the loan, especially the cotton and grain States.

AWARDED TO SPRINGER COAL CO.

Contract for 1,100 Tons of Coal to U. S. Engineering Department.

Bids were opened yesterday by Capt. C. S. Ridley, at the office of the United States District Engineer for the October supply of coal. The Wilmington deliveries were bid from $3.30 to $3.40. The Springer Coal Company, of this city got the contract. The amount for this month will be about 1,100 tons, and the cost will be about $3.765. There were eight bidders.

Companies bidding were: Pocahontas Fuel Company, New York; G. C. Blake Company and Jewett Bigelow Brooks Company, Norfolk; Eastern Coal & Ex. Cor., Richmond; Crozier Pocahontas Co., Philadelphia; S. J. Patterson Co., Dayton, O.; Nottingham & Wrenn Co., Norfolk; Springer Coal Co., Wilmington.

GREAT PLAGUES COMING SOON.

Prof. Hatch Says Egyptian Plagues to Visit the World Again.

There was a full house last night at the Adventist church, on Sixth street, between Church and Castle, to hear Rev. A. E. Hatch, the blind orator, on the "Seven Last Plagues." "These great plagues," he declared, "are soon coming on this earth, as the great plagues of Moses' time came upon Egypt, when the people of God were delivered."

Tonight he will speak from the subject, "The Holy Spirit, What is It?" There will be good music by the orchestra and choir. Seats are free.

Transfer of Real Estate.

The following deeds were filed for record with the Register of Deeds yesterday: John C. McAllister to George T. Grotgen, for $100 and other valuable considerations, lot on west side of Front street, 86.7 feet south of Castle street, 45.3x115 feet in size; Charles A. Smith, to Mance Shine, lot on east side of Seventh street, 165 feet south of Queen street, 33x66 feet in size.

Mrs. Croom Makes Report.

The most interesting feature of the meeting of the Housewives' League in the Merchants Exhibit room yesterday, was the report by Mrs. G. H. Croom of the Housewives' Convention at Raleigh in August. The monthly reports and committee reports were handed in, otherwise the meeting had little of interest with the exception of Mrs. Croom's report.

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NATURE CHANGES IN SEASON

Millinery Opening at J. W. H. Fuchs Department Store Featured With Unique Window.

One of the most attractively decorated windows and uniquely suited to the occasion is at J. W. H. Fuchs Department Store, on South Front street, as a catching feature to the fall millinery opening, which started yesterday and will continue through today and tomorrow. The opening was a big success, as the store was crowded all day yesterday with ladies viewing the autumn styles. It was an occasion to the women, but only an emergency for the men who, must simply pay and keep quiet as the ladies see what they lack, and like Eve of old, purchase quickly before others see her distressing situation.

The whole store was a dream of beauty from the very entrance through. The show windows were trimmed in autumn leaves, just turning brown, and pine tops. An artistically drawn card read, "Nature is changing her robes, why not you?" The millinery department is in charge of Mrs. North, who is well known in the city and has had considerable experience in millinery. Although the second attempt of Mr. Fuchs to compete in this important line of women's wear, with the valuable assistance of Mrs. North, he has collected a copious line of hat patterns, French model hats, and hats from their own work room.

In addition to their millinery department, the firm carries a large and well selected showing of coat suits, coats, dresses, skirts, and lingerie, all made in the autumn styles. They also carry children's apparel of every description.

The dry goods department presents an attractive appearance in new autumn woolen goods and silks which were neatly displayed. This department is in charge of Mrs. Brady, who is a very pleasant saleslady of considerable experience.

In the shoe department they carry a full line of solid leather shoes for men, women and children in all the new styles. Miss Sidbury has charge of this department.

In addition to the above mentioned, they carry a full line of clothing of every description for men and boys. Mr. Fuchs says that he is well pleased with the results from the short time he has carried the millinery line.

NEGRO HOUSEBREAKER SEEN

Made Good His Escape, But Lost His Bunch of Keys.

William J. Bellamy, Esq., a well known member of the Wilmington bar, happened to be at home recently when a negro boy tried to enter the Bellamy home on the Northeast corner of Second and Orange streets. He saw the boy, probably under ten years, trying to fit one of a bunch of keys to the lock. Watching him for a second, Mr. Bellamy opened the door and grabbed at the boy, but missed and let him get away. It is thought that many of the robberies are made by small boys.

Sister Undergoes Operation.

Mr. Theodore B. Kingsbury, manager of the Western Union office in Norfolk, Va., came yesterday morning on account of the serious illness of his sister, Miss Genevieve Kingsbury, daughter of Mrs. Roger Kingsbury, who yesterday afternoon underwent an operation at the James Walker Memorial Hospital. Many friends of Miss Kingsbury hope for her early recovery, the operation having been very successful.

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SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mr. W. B. Thorpe and family have returned to the city from Wrightsville Beach.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Murray, of Fitzgerald, Ga., were in the city yesterday, guests at the Orton.

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Miss Margaret H. Peirce, of Warsaw, was a guest in the city yesterday, registered at Hotel Wilmington.

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Major L. Leon has returned to the city, after an extended visit to Maine, Maryland and other Northern points.

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Mrs. J. G. Barrentine has returned to the city from Wrightsville Beach, where she has been spending the summer.

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Miss Lois Allen returned to her home at Bolton yesterday, after a pleasant visit to friends and relatives in the city.

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Mrs. J. T. Smith and Miss Alice Smith, who have been spending the summer at Turnpike, N. C., returned to the city yesterday.

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Maj. W. N. Harriss has gone on his annual vacation, joining Mrs. Harriss in the mountains of Virgina, where she has been for several weeks.

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After a pleasant visit with relatives at Mebane, Mrs. Lola C. Hanna and little daughter, Miss Margaret, have returned to their home in the city.

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After spending the summer at Wrightsville Beach, Mr. P. R. Albright and family have returned to their residence on South Third street.

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Miss Mary Ruark, of Southport, and Mrs. M. A. Anders, of Faison, are visiting Mrs. J. H. Stone, at her home, No. 208 South Fourth street.

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Miss Marion F. Johnson has returned to her home in the city, after spending the past two months in Montgomery, Ala., and Atlanta, Ga., visiting relatives.

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Mr. James O. Reilly has gone to Washington, D. C., where he will be joined by Mrs. Reilly and little daughter, Miss Helen, who have been at Waynesville, Va. The family will return to the city the latter part of the week.

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Miss Anna Lee Barker, of Statesville, arrived in the city yesterday and is to spend the winter with Miss Anna Bell Dagenhart, No. 904 Princess street. She will enter the high school here for the coming term. She was accompanied by her cousin, Mr. Grier Shaw, who will spend his vacation here.

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There will be corporate communion for the women in the Parish of St. John's church this morning at 10 o'clock. Immediately after this service the women will meet in the Parish house to discuss and arrange for the active work of the Parish for the coming year. It is expected and hoped that each and every woman will be present at both meetings.

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The Fidelis Class of the Southside Baptist church will hold a unique entertainment at the home of Mrs. Nellie Carter, No. 12 Queen street, Thursday night, September 30th. The play will be in the nature of a Klondike mound from which the guests will dig hidden treasures. There will be ice cream on sale, also a silver offering will be taken at the door. The public is cordially invited.

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Mrs. J. A. Fountain received a teleing visited here often. She spent some sister, Mrs. H. H. Bass, wife of Dr. H. H. Bass, of Henderson, was seriously ill in the Sarah Elizabeth Hospital in Henderson. Mrs. Bass has a wide circle of friends in the city, having visited here often. She spend some time visiting friends here the past summer while her husband attended the meeting of the S. A. L. surgeons at Wrightsville Beach.

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Wilson, N. C., Sept. 28.—Interested women, members of Baptist missionary societies of the churches of the Roanoke Association, covering much of Eastern Carolina, met at Stantonsburg tonight in the seventh annual session of the Roanoke Union. The opening devotional service was conducted by the pastor of the Stantonsburg church, Rev. J. E. Kirk, after which Rev. T. W. Chambliss, pastor of the Wilson Baptist church, delivered the annual sermon.

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MISS MARGARET PIERCE RETURNS FROM KNOXVILLE

Miss Margaret Pierce, who spent several weeks in Knoxville, Tenn., conducting an observation school in Natural Education at the home of Mrs. A. D. Cleage, a prominent club woman in that city, returned to Wilmington yesterday and on Friday of this week will open her training school at No. 218 South Third street. Miss Pierce had propositions to start schools in Knoxville, Asheville and Washington, D. C., but preferred to come to Wilmington.

This will be the first training school in Natural Education to be established in the South. Mrs. Stoner, the founder, is now in San Francisco but will return to Wilmington this winter.

Miss Pierce announces that children between three and eight will be enrolled in her school and she also invites the mothers to attend.

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Asheville, N. C., Sept. 28.—Earl McGuillicuddy, manager of the Raleigh baseball club and son fo Connie Mack, of Philadelphia, was married tonight to Miss Mary Cain, of Morganton, at the bride's home.

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HARRELL-BULLOCK WEDDING SOLEMNIZED YESTERDAY

A quiet home wedding of much interest to their friends here and elsewhere, was that yesterday afternoon of Mr. Augustus Harrell, of this city, and Miss Joyce Bullock, daughter of Mrs. Joyce Bullock, of Jacksonville, N. C. The ceremony was performed in the presence of a few friends at the home of Mrs. V. G. Webb, No. 116 Walnut street. The bride has visited often in the city and has many friends here. Mr. Harrell has a position with the Seaboard Air Line. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. D. Bundy, pastor of Grace Methodist church, immediately following which the bride and groom left for Richmond, Va., where they will make their home.

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OPENING SOCIAL AT Y. M. C. A. FRIDAY NIGHT

There will be a joint meeting of the educational, membership, religious work and social committees of the Y. M. C. A. this morning at 10 o'clock for the purpose of completing arrangements for the opening social which will be held at the association building on Friday night. The public is invited to attend.

The Blue Ridge Club composed of those attending the Blue Ridge conference last summer was organized Monday night. A committee was appointed to draw up a constitution and by-laws. The club will meet on the last Tuesday in each month.

The Leelinaw group of Camp Fire girls entertained the Satona group at a delightful social at the association building Monday evening. Delicious refreshments were served.

The registrations for the educational and gymnasium classes this week have been quite heavy. Many more registrations are expected before the week ends.

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ST. ANDREW'S C. E. SOCIETY TO GIVE SACRED CANTATA.

It has been learned with a great deal of pleasure that the Christian Endeavor Society of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, of this city, intends to revive the cantata, "Esther, the Beautiful Queen." A definite date for the production has not been set, but it is understood to be about the first of November.

This society presented "Esther" last fall to one of the largest audiences ever gathered at Memorial Hall. That it was an instant success was shown by the enthusiastic manner in which it was received, and many requests for a repetition of the performance have been heard.

The story of "Esther," as told by the cantata, is a literal interpretation of the book of Esther in the Bible. It is a beautiful and interesting story, embellished by entrancing and appropriate music. The solos, especially, are of a sweet and appealing nature, readily getting a hold on the sympathy of the audience, while the choruses —of which there are many good ones— are particularly rich in their setting, showing well the moods and feelings of God's chosen people during those troublous times when Haman, the wicked nobleman, sought to have them wiped out of existence. The choruses are all strong and stirring, gradually working up to the great climax in the last act, wherein the entire cast sings what is undoubtedly Bradbury's best effort, "Praise the Lord".

Last year the costuming and stage settings were fine, but this year the society promises to try and outdo their former record for a brilliant production. The cast will be enacted and sung by some of the best talent in the city. Mr. Bert Jones, who so successfully conducted the production before, will again have entire charge.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Congressman J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, while in the city yesterday was a guest at the Orton.

—Mr. J. M. Branch and little son, Master Joseph, left yesterday for Jacksonville, Fla., to visit friends.

—Hon. J. S. Cunningham, of Durham, chairman of the State Fair Association, was an Orton guest yesterday.

—Mr. D. F. Giles, superintendent of public instruction, of Wake county, was in the city yesterday, a guest at the Orton.

—Congressman John H Small, of Washington, D. C., while a guest in the city, stopped at the Orton yesterday.

—Mr. J. B. Campbell, advance agent for "Potash and Perlmutter," which is to be seen at the Academy soon, is in the city.

—Among the North Carolina guests at the Orton yesterday were: Messrs. W. E. Day, Jacksonville; J. H. Nicholson, L. P. Potter, A. H. Holmes and A. H. Simmons, Council's; A. S. Woolard and W. A. Brame, Raleigh; A. M. McLean, Esq., Lillington; J. R. Harrison, Fayetteville; O. D. Brown, Asheville; M. C. Coates, Coates, S. C.; C. E. Adams, Cola, S. C.; E. E. Craven, Abbottsburg; J. J. Wooten, Charlotte; Nathan O'Berry, Goldsboro; T. H. Aberry and G. W. Gariner, Newbern; J. H. Newberry, Warsaw.

Victoria Matinees at 3:15.

There seems to be a misunderstanding in the city regarding the hour for the matinees at the Victoria Theater, probably on account of the difference between those and the hours at the Academy. Mr. Nathan says he expects to have a maitnee every Wednesday and Saturday at 3:15 o'clock promptly. Following the matinee today, Master Germond will entertain the young folks on the stage.

McCord Wins Bowling Contest.

In the regular weekly Bowling Contest last night at Warren's, McCord came out an easy victor with the high score of 194 2-3. The other contestants came out in the following order: Childs, 153; Garrison, 152 1-3; Pickard, 145 1-3; Williamson, 138 2-3.

—The barge Monocacy, towed by the tug Virginian, arrived in port yesterday with a cargo of phosphate rock for the Navassa Guano Company. The cargo came from Chisholm's Island, S. C.

Y. W. C. A.

Gymnasium Oxfords for sale at Peterson & Rulfs. (advertisement).

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GAYLORD'S MILLINERY SHOW

More Than 200 Ready Trimmed Hats on Display—Elaborate Decorations in All Departments.

It was a sight worthy to be remembered to see the well handled crowds strolling up and down the aisles yesterday at Gaylord's, as the store was all decorated with the new styles in every department. The occasion was their annual millinery opening, which began yesterday and continues today, and there were more than 200 hats on open display, in ready-to-wear form, and more than 300 untrimmed hats to be seen. The store was trimmed in pine tops from the front window to the uttermost part of every department. The sales ladies and department heads were all too busy to see how beautiful their store was decorated,but the hundreds of customers they waited on, had the pleasure.

The millinery department is on the second floor and Miss Alma Brown, who has just returned from New York, where she and Mr. George O. Gaylord went a few weeks ago to purchase the stock, was well prepared to tell everything in fashion from the past 20 years, during which time she has seen all the style shows in the big cities. She says the new styles are all short, but they are broadened at the bottom, and that fashion dictates that they shall be hung with furs. The young lady has ample use of her feet in the modern dress, vastly more so than for years past.

High crowns will be the thing in hats, as can easily be seen from the array in Gaylord's millinery department. This means vogue for the Gibaldin, Postillion and Directoire shapes. Capelines and conotiers continue popular and are becoming larger. Among many other new types to be seen at Gaylord's is the Germaine's most successful novelty, called "L'hirondelle," owing to its resemblance to a swallow with its wings spread in flight. It is made of black or deep blue velours, with close-fitting side and cleverly draped top. Small, slender wings of bird motifs are placed at either side of the front, to afford harmonious trimming.

In the same room, on the same floor with the millinery is the attractive department of coat suits, in charge of Miss Daisy Woodbury, and nearby, on the same floor, but in a different room, is the art department in charge of Miss Lillian Williams. Both these departments are fitted out with everything of the newest creations in their lines. The crochet and embroidery in the art department is especially attractive, while it is a treat to have Miss Woodbury show you through the silks and plaids department.

The shoe department in charge of Mr. Miller is one of the best in the city. Mr. Maultsby, in charge of the clothing department, has an excellent showing this season. The silks, being shown by Mr. Anders, assisted by some young ladies, is the most attractive line to have been shown at this popular store.

INLAND WATERWAY IS ENDORSED BY CHAMBER

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dikes for the protection of swamp lands.

Not only is the development of the inland waterway of tremendous importance commercially, but it is also a military necessity, he declared. He showed how it would be possible to bottle up either New York or Norfolk with a foreign fleet and of the great service the waterway would be for allowing the passage of vessels from one point to the other in the event of a blockade.

He paid a tribute to Congressman Small, who has long been active in the waterway propaganda, and declared that his monument has already been erected in the construction of the deeper waterway between Norfolk and Beaufort. In conclusion he urged that Wilmington have a large delegation at Savannah at the convention in November.

Congressman Small Speaks.

Congressman Small expressed his appreciation of the large number who had come out to listen to himself and Congressman Moore and declared that it was a practical measure of public benefit that they were discussing. He discussed at some length the tendency of the present time to make the government of more direct benefit to the people in its administrative capacity and mentioned by way of illustration the establishing of the Department of Labor and the Department of Commerce. The same tendency is also shown by the State in its establishing of the State Highway Commission and the enlarging of the health department. He considered the development of the transportation facilities of prime importance in the life of the people.

He spoke of the splendid work that Congressman Moore has done since his elected to the presidency of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association at its organization in Philadelphia in 1907. To the splendid address made by him, he said he could only add accumulative testimony.

His observation had been that Congressmen are no better or worse than their constituents and stated the purpose of their visit to this city to be to get Wilmington to furnish her quota of influence to the support of the undertaking in which they are interested. He could stand abuse as well as sympathy, he said, but of all things he dreaded the most it was that of sluggish indifference.

A distance of 1,800 miles of waterways could be opened up, he stated, by 121 miles of canalization and in addition to this there are 5,000 miles of navigable rivers emptying into this waterway. It had been his observation that commerce on these streams at the present time is almost exclusively local and that this too often was far too small. He urged that the people of Wilmington get together to help in the undertaking.

In conclusion he pledged his support to the movement for completing the link between Wilmington and Beaufort and urged that Wilmington send a large delegation to Savannah to the convention.

President L. E. Hall presided at the meeting and introduced the speakers. They were given a warm and cordial welcome and at the conclusion of the meeting upon motion of Mr. Hugh MacRae a rising vote of thanks was extended them. Mr. MacRae endorsed the proposition and advanced several reasons why he thought it is only a matter of a short time when the government will take a much more active interest in the proposition.

Mr. J. Allan Taylor was asked by President Hall to say something about the movement. President Hall spoke of the great interest that Mr. Taylor has shown in the matter. Mr. Taylor assured Congressmen Small and Moore that the people of Wilmington were pledged to the support of the undertaking. He had often wondered, he said, why it was that Congressmen and Senators did not take a more practical view of things and could readily understand why two men of such zeal and energy and with such practical ideas as Congressmen Small and Moore had had such a hard fight. He felt greatly encouraged at Congressman Small's declaration that he was going to give his support to the completion of the link between this city and Beaufort and assured him that Wilmington would send a large delegation to Savannah.

While in the city Congressmen Moore and Small were guests at the Orton. They left the city last night and will continue their trip North.

Rupture Expert Here

With Appliances Used and Approved by U. S. Government.

W. B. SEELEY, the noted expert, is again sending his personal representative to Wilmington. He will be at the Hotel Wilmington Monday and Tuesday, October 4 and 5, 1915, thoroughly equipped and prepared to deal with the most difficult cases.

His Spermatic Shield Truss as used and approved by the U. S. Government and the Czar of Russia, will retain any rupture perfectly, affording immediate relief, and frequently closes the opening in a short time. WONDERFUL RESULTS WITHOUT SURGERY OR HARMFUL INJECTIONS. Clean and durable; no irritating leg straps or binding of the hips.

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Mr. G. W. Henderson of Dingle, Miss., says more than that, too. He suffered with cystitis (inflammation of the bladder). It went on until he reached the point where he had dizzy, weak spells, and sometimes he would almost faint with pain. Of course, he doctored, went off to the mineral springs and drank waters of different kinds, which altogether cost him a large sum of money. Still no permanent relief. Now comes a friend who recommends Foley Kidney Pills, and after using half a dozen bottles, his pains are all gone, he sleeps soundly all night.

When kidney and bladder trouble comes on you and you suffer the pains and aches it causes, have irregular, painful, scanty or burning sensation, take Foley's Kidney Pills at once and you will echo Mr. Henderson's sentiments.

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CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our many friends for the words of sympathy and deeds of kindness during our recent bereavement.

Mrs. W. F. RICHTER and SONS.
(advertisement.)

DIED.

DULS—In this city, at his residence, last evening (Tuesday, September 28th, 1915), at 7 o'clock, J. W. DULS, in the 62nd year of his age.

Funeral this, Wednesday, afternoon at 4 o'clock, from the residence, No. 120 Nun street; thence to St. Paul's Lutheran church, at 4:30 P. M. Interment, Oakdale cemetery.

For Sale

500 bbls. fancy pat. Flour
300 bags Arab Horse Feed
600 cases No. 3 Tomatoes
200 cases No. 2 Tomatoes
100 doz. 10c Ink Tablets

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

COTTON GOES YET HIGHER

However, Fluctuations Were More Irregular and January Reacted—Net Advance Made.

New York, Sept. 28—While still higher prices were reached in cotton here today, fluctuations were more irregular and after selling at 12:75, January contracts closed at 12.64, with the general list steady at a net gain of from 10 to 18 points.

The market opened firm at an advance of 12 to 20 points on overnight buying orders and a renewal of bull support, which had the encouragement of relatively firm cables, bullish overnight advices from Southern spot markets and apprehension as to the course of the disturbance reported in the gulf. Liverpool selling and heavy realizing, caused prices to react some 10 to 17 points from the best, but offerings were well taken at the decline and the market firmed up again on reports that storm warnings had been ordered for the Louisiana coast, and the official forecast for unsettled weather in the western belt.

This second advance carried October up to 12.25, December to 12.58 and March to 13.04or 24 to 27 points above last night's closing figures.

Demand seemed to slacken somewhat at the advance, however, and fluctuations during the balance of the day were extremely nerxous and irregular under more or less general realizing and predictions of a eatcion in advance of the government reports on Saturday. Closing prices showed set backs of 10 to 12 points from the best. A private report published during the morning made the condition of the 61.9 per cent. compared with 70.2 per cent last month.

Futures closed steady.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Oct.	12.10	12.22	12.00	12.10
Dec.	12.55	12.58	12.42	12.48
Jan.	12.70	12.75	12.57	12.64
March	12.96	13.04	12.82	12.92
May	13.05	13.16	12.98	13.08

Spot cotton steady; middling uplands 12.40; sales none.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans — Middling, 11.75; receipts, 9,017; sales, 2,400; stock, 141,209.

Galveston—Middling, 11.90; receipts, 38,531; sales, 300; stock, 236,127.

Mobile—Middling, 11.63; receipts, 2,256; exports, 4,199; stock, 14,490.

Savannah—Middling, 11.63; receipts, 13,809; sales, 2,537; stock, 183,855.

Charleston—Middling, 11⅝; receipts, 8,603; sales, 1,500; stock, 71,885.

Wilmington—Middling, 11⅝; receipts, 1,977; stock, 54,432.

Norfolk — Middling, 11.75; receipts, 3,215; sales, 348; stock, 36,902.

Baltimore—Stock, 3,606.

Boston—Middling, 12.00; stock, 4,100.

Philadelphia—Middling, 12.65; stock, 896.

New York—Middling, 12.40; stock, 251,646.

Minor Ports—Stock, 32,642.

Total today—Receipts, 77,408; exports, 4,199; stock, 1,031,792.

Total for week — Receipts, 166,452; exports, 62,610.

Total for season—Receipts, 395,109; exports, 416,568.

Interior Movement.

Houston — Middling, 12.00; receipts, 11,615; shipments, 12,057; sales, 8,511; stock, 114,296.

Memphis—Middling, 11.75; receipts, 2,944; shipments, 847; sales, 1,750; stock, 56,945.

Augusta—Middling, 11.75; receipts, 4,347; shipments, 1,347; sales, 469; stock, 115,164.

St. Louis—Middling, 11½; receipts, 264; shipments, 578; sales, 122; stock, 7,178.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 198; shipments, 234; stock, 11,758.

Little Rock—Middling, 11.75; receipts, 660; shipments, 54; sales, 54; stock, 6,259.

Dallas—Middling, 11.70.

Total today—Receipts, 19,973; shipments, 15,097; stock, 311,724.

COTTON SEED OIL MARKET.

New York, September 28. — In point of volume today's cotton seed oil market was a close second to yesterday's record. An early advance brought out some profit taking with a consequent set back, but prices firmed up again towards the close, on a renewal of buying for outside long account, as well as some covering by belated shorts. Advancing crude markets and the higher ruling in lard and cotton also had a strengthening influence. No tenders were reported. Final prices were 3 to 8 points higher. Sales, 26,100 barrels. The market closed strong. Spot, 7.14 @7.16. September, —; October, 7.04@7.05; November, 7.02@7.04; December, 7.03@7.05; January, 7.12@7.13; February, 7.25@7.27; March, 7.28@7.29; April, 7.39@7.42.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, September 28. — Spot, firm. Good middling, 7.36; middling, 7.04; low middling, 6.56.

Sales, 12,000; for speculation and export, 3,000. Receipts, 14,000. Futures, feverish. September, 6.92; September-October, 6.91½; October-November, 6.92; November-December, 6.96½; December-January, 6.97½; January-February, 6.98½; February-March, 7.00; March-April, 7.01; April-May, 7.01; May-June, 7.01; June-July, 6.99½; July-August, 6.97½; August-September, 6.82½.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, September 28, — Cotton goods markets were strong and active today. Yarns were firm and prices advanced. Men's wear was in good demand for spot delivery. Silks were active. Underwear for immediate use advanced.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, September 28. — Turpentine, firm, 38¼@38½. Sales, 198; receipts, 207; shipments, 183; stock, 16,558.

Rosin—Firm. Sales, 7.48; receipts, 572; shipments, 1,809; stock, 67,043. Quote: A, B, 3.30; C, D, 3.35; E, 3.42½; F, G, H, I, 3.45; K, 3.60; M, 4.50; N, 4.90; W G, 5.90; W W, 6.00@6.15.

NEW YORK MONEY MARKET.

New York, September 28. — Mercantile paper, 3¾@3¾. Sterling sixty-day bills, 4.6750; demand, 4.7075; cables, 4.7125; bar silver, 49¼; Mexican dollars, 38½. Government bonds, steady; railroad bonds, strong. Time loans, steady; sixty days, 2¼@2½; ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3. Call money, steady; ruling rate, 1¾.

SLIGHT ADVANCE IN WHEAT

Wet Weather That Put a Stop to the Threshing in the Northwest Has Much to Do With It.

Chicago, September 28. — Wet weather that put a stop to threshing in the Northwest had a good deal to do with bringing about an advance today in the wheat market here. Prices closed strong, 1⅛@1⅜ to 2 cents net higher, with December at 95⅝@95¾, and May at 98¼@98⅜. The outcome in corn varied from ¾ decline to ⅛@⅝c. gain and in oats from ⅜ off to ¼ up.

Provisions finished the same as last night to 25 cents higher.

Grain and provisions close:

Wheat — September, 1.05; December, 95⅝; May, 98¼.

Corn—December, 55½; May, 57⅜.

Oats—December, 36; May, 38⅛.

Pork—October, 13.22; January, 15.85.

Lard—October, 8.32; January, 8.80.

Ribs—October, 8.75; January, 8.90.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.03½@1.05; No. 3, red, 95@1.00; No. 4, red, 80@95; No. 2, hard, 1.03½@1.05.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 68½@69½.

MARINE.

MARINE DIRECTORY.

List of Vessels in Port at Wilmington, North Carolina.

Steamers.

Str. Nicaria (Ger.), 3,289 tons, Hollasch, Heide & Co.

Str. Kiel (Ger.), 2,872 tons, Lemke, Heide & Co.

Str. Cayo Gitano (Br.), 1,983 tons, Gaeter, Alex. Sprunt & Sons.

Str. Helredale (Br.), 2,253 tons, Mills, Alex. Sprunt & Sons.

Str. Blairhall (Br.), 1,587 tons, Alex. Sprunt & Sons.

Schooners.

Schr. Henry Lippitt, 79 tons, Hooper, C. D. Maffitt & Co.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Sept. 28.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE — Steady, 37½.

ROSIN—$3.00 to $2.90.

TAR—Firm, $1.60 per barrel; 7½ per gallon.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Nominal.

Quotation same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 44. Rosin, $3.20. Tar, $2.10-10c. Crude turpentine, firm, $3.25, $3.25, $2.25.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits Turpentine 1
Rosin $6
Tar 143
Crude Turpentine.. .. .. $0

Receipts — Same day last year: Spirits turpentine, 2 casks; rosin, 9 barrels; tar, 22 barrels; crude turpentine, 1 barrel.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Steady, 11⅝c. Quotations, same day last year, 7½c.

Receipts—1,977 bales; same day last year, 987 bales.

Total receipts since August 1st, to date, 40,781 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 8,801 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Atlantic Coast Line—1,501 bales cotton; 51 barrels tar; 15 barrels crude turpentine.

Seaboard Air Line—476 bales cotton.

Annie B—15 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Thelma—1 cask spirits turpentine; 36 barrels rosin; 92 barrels tar.

Total — 1,977 bales cotton; 1 cask spirits turpentine; 36 barrels rosin; 143 barrels tar; 30 barrels crude turpentine.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Sept. 27—North Carolina Peanuts—Market, weaker. Fancy hand picked, 65c.; No. 1, machine picked, 60c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts — Unsettled. Jumbos, 66c.; fancy hand-picked, 55c.; No. 1, machine picked, 50c. per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts — Weaker. No. 1, small, machine picked, 75c.; Jumbos, 65c. per bushel.

All receipts, light.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Sept. 27.—Spanish: Farmers' Stock—Market weak and unsettled. First quality, 80c. per bu. asked; 75c. bid; off grade, 30c. to 40c. per bu.

Virginias — Farmers' Stock — Market quiet. Fancy Jumbo, 3¼c. per lb.; fancy hand-picked, 3c. per lb.; extra prime, 2¾c. per lb.; shelling stock, 2c. to 2¼c. per lb.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Sept. 27.)

CORN—$2.20 per sack.

PEAS—Out of season.

IRISH POTATOES—40c.

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, 60c. to 65c. per bushel.

BEEF—Native dressed, 7@9c.; good demand.

PORK—Small, 10@11c. per pound.

SHEEP—Dull at any price.

WOOL—Burry, 19 to 28c.; black wool, 17 to 20c; first class white wool, 27c.; free, 27c.

HIDES—Green salt, 12@13c.; dry flint, 17c. per lb.; good demand.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 19c. to 20 c.; sides and shoulders, 15c. per lb. Good demand.

BEESWAX—Firm, 28c. per lb.; good demand.

POULTRY — Chickens, grown, 40c.; spring, 15c. to 30c. per head; good demand. Turkeys, out of season.

EGGS—24c to 25c.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, Sept. 28. — Hogs — Unsettled. Bulk, 7.30@8.25; light, 7.65@8.40; mixed, 6.95@8.45; heavy, 6.65@8.30; rough, 6.65@6.90; pigs, 6.00@7.90.

Cattle — Firm. Native beef cattle, 6.10@10.40; western steers, 6.70@8.75; cows and heifers, 3.90@8.35; calves, 7.50@11.25.

Sheep—Firm. Wethers, 5.70@6.55; ewes, 3.50@6.00; lambs, 7.00@9.25.

"OLD" STOCKS TO THE FORE

Trading Yesterday on a Larger and Broader Scale Than Monday's Memorable Session.

New York, Sept. 28.—Trading in today's stock market was on a larger and broader scale than yesterday's memorable session and with the difference that certain old or dorment stocks vied at times with those of recent prominence for supremacy. Specialties, mainly those deriving profits from war contracts, ascended to higher levels, a few scoring extraordinary gains, only to lose them in large part with startling rapidity.

Advices from Chicago pointing to an early announcement of the terms of the Anglo-French credit gave added strength to the lost. In the final dealings, however, the weight of increased offerings overcame the market's digestive powers and many large gains were reduced, while others were changed to moderate losses.

Railroads were again under intermittent restraint, some leading issues being lower by 1 to 2 points. Improvement in this part of the list was general later, but here also profit-taking proved effective to the extent of wiping out most gains.

Price-movements became confusing to the point of feverishness toward the end, the closing being distinctly irregular. Total sales amounted to 1,690,000 shares, the largest volue of business, according to available data since the days immediate preceding the war.

Chief among the day's new records were Baldwin Locomotive which at its maximum of 150 1-8 showed a gain of 36 3-8, but closed at a net advance of 14 1-4, General Motors up 13 to 375, Willys-Overland 7 at 225, Studebaker 4 3-8 at 146, Bethlehem Steel 3 at 369 and pressed steel car at 73 7-8.

United States Steel with an overturn of 155,000 shares, closed at 78 3-4, a loss of 18.

Bond trading was again very large, with general strength. Total sales of bonds, par value, aggreated $5,673,000. United States bonds were unchaned.

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	44⅝
American Beet Sugar	64¾
American Can	63⅝
American Car and Foundry	80¾
American Cities, pfd .. .. .O.	46
American Cotton Oil	52¼
American Locomotive	68
American Smelting.	86½
American Sugar	109
American Tel and Tel	125⅝
American Tobacco	228
Anaconda Copper	73⅜
Atchison	103½
Atlantic Coast Line	110
Baldwin Locomotive	128
Baltimore and Ohio	88
Bethlehem Steel	365
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	84½
Canadian Pacific	161¾
Central Leather	51⅛
Chesapeake and Ohio	50⅝
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	87
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry	20½
Consolidated Gas	130
Crucible Steel	101¼
Erie	32⅞
General Electric	175
General Motors	672
Great Northern, pfd	121
Illinois Central	107
Interborough Consol. Corp	20⅛
Kansas City Southern	27⅝
Lehigh Valley	143⅛
Louisville and Nashville	120
Liggett and Myers	225
Lorillard Co	108
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd ..	36¾
Mexican Petroleum	89
National Lead	66⅞
New York Central	96½
N. Y., N. H. and Hartford.	68¼
Norfolk and Western	113½
Northern Pacific	110
Pennsylvania	113¼
Reading	153¾
Rep. Iron and Steel	56⅛
Rep. Iron and Steel, pfd	106⅝
Seaboard Air Line	16
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	37
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	57
Studebaker Corporation	141¾
Southern Pacific	93¼
Southern Railway	19⅝
Southern Railway, pfd	51½
Tennessee Copper	60
Texas Co	168
Texas and Pacific	11¾
Union Pacific	132⅝
United States Rubber	52½
United States Steel	78¾
United States Steel, pfd	114⅞
Utah Copper	68½
Virginia-Caro. Chem	40
Western Union	77½
Westinghouse Electric	124⅝

NEW YORK PROVISIONS MARKET.

New York, September 28. — Sugar — Raw, steady; centrifugal, 3.75@3.89; molasses sugar, 2.98@3.12; refined, quiet; unchanged to 5 points lower.

Butter—Firm.

Cheese—Steady.

Coffee—Spot, quiet; Rio No. 7, 6¾; Santos, No. 4, 9c.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON

While Market Showed Tendency to Advance, it Showed Less Strength

New Orleans, Sept. 28.—While cotton display a tendency to advance today it showed less strength than during the last several days. In the early trading prices advanced above yesterday's high levels and at the highest stood at a net gain of 20 to 25 points. The October option crossed the 12 cents mark and May went above 13 cents. The net change for the day was an advance of 12 to 15 points.

Around the opening the market was active and excited under a heavy demand inspired by better Liverpool cables than due, warnings that the tropical storm probably would strike the gulf coast and continued reports of a good spot demand at high prices in the interior. In the early trading prices gained about 10 points. The high levels were reached toward noon. After that the ring was quieter. The tone was steady.

Futures closing. October and December 12.39; January 12.54; March 12.82; May 12.99.

Spot cotton steady 12 points up, sales on the spot 250 bales, to arrive 2,150; middling 11.75.

Stamford, Conn., Sept. 28. — The freight steamer Isabel from New York to South Norwalk, struck a submerged wreck in Long Island sound tonight and sank in ten minutes. Six of the crew arrived here in a small boat. Fourteen other members of the crew are missing.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

September 29, 1915.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 P. M. yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 62 degrees; at 8 P. M., 69 degrees; maximum, 78 degrees; minimum, 60 degrees; mean, 69 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 1.73 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M. yesterday, 2.1 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina — Partly cloudy Wednesday; Thursday, local rains.

The Port Calendar, Sept. 29, 1915.

Sun rises .. .. .6:05 A. M.
Sun sets .. .. .6:00 P. M.
Day's length .. .. .11 hrs. 55 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington . . .	1:27	2:06	8:45	9:41
Southport . . .	11:45	11:56	5:39	6:24
Masonboro Inl . .	11:34	11:45	5:19	6:04

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

September 28, 1915.

STATIONS:	Temperature: Weather at 8 P. M.	today. Highest	Last night. Lowest	Precipitation at 8 p.m.
Abilene . .	clear	90	68	.0
Asheville . .	rain	80	60	.01
Atlanta . .	clear	90	70	.0
Augusta . .	clear	90	66	.0
Birmingh . .	clear	82	64	.0
Boston . . .	clear	62	44	.0
Charleston .	clear	86	72	.0
Charlotte . .	cldy	72	54	.0
Chicago . .	clear	58	52	.0
Galveston	pt cldy	84	78	.0
Jacksonv. .	rain	86	76	.02
Memphis. . .	cldy	86	74	.0
Mobile. . .	rain	92	74	.01
Montgom'y .	clear	90	68	.0
New Orl. .	clear	80	76	.0
New York .	clear	64	44	.0
Oklahoma .	clear	90	68	.0
Palestine .	clear	92	74	.0
Pittsburg .	clear	64	42	.0
Raleigh. .	clear	74	52	.06
Savannah . .	clear	90	72	.0
Shreveport.	clear	90	72	.0
St. Louis. .	cldy	70	58	.0
Washing'n .	clear	64	44	.0

AT WILSON THREE YEARS.

Rev. T. W. Chambliss Reviews Record Made by Baptist Church.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., Sept. 28.—Rev. T. W. Chambliss closed his third year as pastor of the First Baptist church of Wilson, Sunday. At the morning service he reviewed briefly the three years of his pastorate. For all purposes the church has raised nearly $15,000 and received 124 members. This is quite a considerable increase over the preceding three yars. A lot on Pender street has been purchased and the church expects to erect a mission chapel there before long. A lot in Five Points has recently been donated the church by Clerk of Court E. J. Barnes and the money is now being raised to erect a building on that lot.

$3.80
Excursion to Sanford

On Account of the

Lee County Agricultural Fair

The Atlantic Coast Line will sell excursion tickets from Wilmington to Sanford, N. C., at $3.80, for all trains on

OCTOBER 13, 14 AND 15,

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SAN FRANCISCO, CAL $90.20
On sale until November 30th, limited 3 months, not to exceed Dec. 31st, 1915.
NEW BERN, N. C. $2.60
On sale October 5, 6, 7, and 8; limited returning October 10.
STATE CAMP, FLA. $21.45
(Near Jacksonville.)
On sale October 3, 4, 5, 6, 12, 13 and 14, limited returning October 30. May be extended to November 30, by depositing and paying 50 cents.
SANFORD N. C. $3.80
On sale October 13, 14 and 15; limited returning October 16.
WASHINGTON, D. C. $13.10
On sale October 15 to 19, inclusive; limited returning October 31st. Limit will be extended until November 15th, upon payment of $1.00 at Washington.
RALEIGH, N. C. $4.75
On sale October 16 to 23, inclusive; limited returning October 25. Fare includes admission to Fair Grounds.

For schedules, reservations and any further information, call 'phone 160, or apply to **C. M. AUKER, Ticket Agent of the**

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SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

The Progressive Railway of the South.

Bulletin of Special Round Trip Rates, in Effect From Wilmington.

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL. $90.20
On sale until November 30th, limited 3 months, not to exceed Dec. 31st, 1915.
WASHINGTON, D. C. $16.85
On sale October 3, 4, 5th; limited returning Midnight, October 10th.
WASHINGTON, D. C. $13.10
On sale October 15, 16, 17, 18 and 19th; limited returning Midnight, October 31st. Limit will be extended until November 15th, upon payment of $1.00 at Washington.
STATE CAMP, FLA. $21.45
(Near Jacksonville, Fla.)
On sale October 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 12, 13, 14; limited returning Midnight, October 30th. Limit will be extended to November 29th, by depositing ticket and paying 50 cents.
RALEIGH, N. C. $4.75
On sale October 16 to 23rd. Limited returning midnight, October 25th. Fare includes one admission to State Fair Grounds.

For tickets Pullman reservations, or any information, call 'phone 178, or apply to Agent.

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$2.90
Excursion to Newbern

On account of the Eastern Carolina Fair at Newbern, the Atlantic Coast Line will sell excursion tickets to that point for all trains on Oct. 5, 6, 7, 8 and 9, at $2.90 from Wilmington, and proportionately reduced fares from intermediate points, limited returning on any train up to and including Oct. 10.

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ATLANTIC COAST LINE

Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective Sept. 13, 1915. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES:	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90. 3:40 A.M. Monday morning only.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad.	**No. 91.** 1:15 A.M. Sunday morning (Saturday night) only.
No. 81. 5:25 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia, and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to recieve outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M. and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	**No. 80.** 12:25 A.M. Daily.
No. 84. 5:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	**No. 83.** 6:15 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.
No. 48. 7:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.	**No. 49.** 6:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 53. 3:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	**No. 52.** 5:05 P.M. Daily.
No. 82. 3:25 P.M. Daily.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	**No. 62.** 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 55. 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Pullman Cars between Florence and Columbia.	**No. 54.** 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 89. 6:30 P.M. Tues., Thurs. and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	**No. 60.** 10:15 A.M. Tues., Thurs., Sat. only.
No. 42. 6:45 P. M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	**No. 41.** 9:50 A.M. Daily.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

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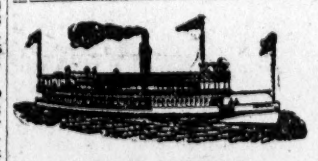

WINTER SCHEDULE.
HARPER STEAMBOAT LINE.
In Effect, Tuesday, Sept. 14th.

Steamer Wilmington leaves daily, except Sunday, 9:30 A. M.
Leaves Southport, 2:30 P. M.
Leaves Sunday, 10:00 A. M.
Leaves Southport Sunday, 3:00 P. M.

CLYDE LINE
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AND
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New York to Wilmington.
Steamship Cherokee, Friday, Sept. 24th.
Steamship Navahoe, Friday, Oct. 1st.

Wilmington to Georgetown.
Steamship Cherokee, Monday, Sept. 27th
Steamship Navahoe, Monday, Oct. 4th

Wilmington to New York.
Steamship Navahoe, Saturday, Sept. 25th
Steamship Cherokee, Saturday, Oct. 2nd
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Selma, N. C.	29.35

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Suburban Schedule

EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 7, 1915.

PASSENGER CARS

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Beach.
x 6:25 A.M.	x 6:05 A.M.
.....	• 6:40 A.M.
6:55 A.M.	x 7:10 A.M.
x 7:25 A.M.	7:40 A.M.
x 8:00 A.M.	x 8:15 A.M.
8:30 A.M.	x 8:45 A.M.
10:00 A.M	9:15 A.M.
11:30 A.M	10:45 A.M.
1:10 P.M.	12:15 P.M.
2:00 P.M	1:50 P.M.
2:30 P.M.	2:45 P.M.
3:00 P.M.	3:15 P.M.
3:30 P.M	3:45 P.M.
4:00 P.M.	4:15 P.M.
	4:45 P.M.
4:30 P.M.	5:15 P.M.
5:00 P.M.	5:45 P.M.
5:30 P.M.	
6:16 P.M.	6:20 P.M.
6:40 P.M.	6:55 P.M.
7:15 P.M.	7:20 P.M.
8:15 P.M.	7:50 P.M.
9:15 P.M.	8:50 P.M.
10:15 P.M.	9:50 P.M.
11:15 P.M.	10:50 P.M.
12:00 Midnight.	11:50 P.M.

x Dail, Except Sunday.
• Sundays Only.

FREIGHT SCHEDULE.
Daily, Except Sunday.

Leave 9th and Orange sts., 9:30 A. M. and 3:30 P. M.
Leave Beach, 12:15 and 5:15 P. M.
Freight Depot open from 8:00 to 9:30 A. M. and from 2:00 o 3:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS:

Leave 9th and Orange sts., 11:00 A. M.
Leave Beach, 12:45 P. M.
Freight Depot open Sundays from 10:00 to 11:00 A. M.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

The Progressive Railway of the South.
Effective June 9th, 1915.

No. 13—4:00 P. M. THROUGH STEEL SLEEPER BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND ATLANTA — THROUGH PULLMAN PARLOR CAR BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE.

Train for Lumberton, Maxton, Laurinburg, Charlotte and intermediate points, connecting at Hamlet for all points North, South and West.

No. 19—8:00 A. M.—THROUGH SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE—Open at 10:00 P. M. for Passengers. Train for Charlotte and intermediate points, connecting at Hamlet for all points North and West.

For detailed information and reservations, call on City Ticket Agent, Orton Bldg, Wilmington; 'Phone 178.

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THROUGH SLEEPING CARS TO ATLANTA.

The Atlantic Coast Line operate the through sleeping cars between Wilmington and Atlanta. These cars are of all-steel construction and leave Wilmington daily at 3:45 P. M., arriving Atlanta at 8:10 the next morning, connection with through sleeping, observation and dining car trains for Ch

ANGLO-FRENCH TO GET HALF BILLION JOINT BOND LOAN

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such endorsement will be secured without difficulty. The commission has been in constant communication with both Paris and London, and details as to the progress made have been placed before the treasury authorities at both capitals from day to day.

A great many details are yet to be formulated, as to the method which the syndicate will pursue. According to Henry P. Davison, of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Company, the first step to be taken is the formation of the syndicate by J. P. Morgan & Company and other American bankers and financiers. Mr. Davison said that a large number of banks throughout the country had signified their approval of the proposed credit, and doubtless would be invited to join the syndicate. From every section of the country, Mr. Davison said, there had come reports of enthusiastic interest in the project.

How much of the $500,000,000 which will be obtained here is to go for the credit of France and how much for the credit of England were not divulged.

CHICAGO BANKERS CHEER.

Completion of Arrangements for Loan Announced at Banquet.

Chicago, Sept. 28.—Cheers from scores of Chicago's foremost bankers and business men greeted the announcement at a banquet here tonight that the $500,000,000 credit loan to France and England, the largest external loan ever contracted for in the United States, had been arranged for.

The announcement was made here by Lord Reading, chairman of the Anglo-French commission, who, with three other members of the body, arrived today. The other visiting commissioners, who will return to New York tomorrow, are Sir Edward H. Holden, Basil Blackett and M. Ernest Mallet. With them came Thomas W. Lamont, of J. P. Morgan & Company, who explained details of the loan to practically every banker in the city and to representatives of bond houses.

Tonight he expressed the opinion that the bonds would be hospitably received here.

READING GUEST OF BAR ASSOCIATION

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the greatest spirit that could possibly be found amongst human beings. In my country the one idea is, as I am sure it is with you, give the fullest and freest play to the man who is prepared to do the work according to the most honorable traditions of the profession. Ask no questions, desire to know nothing, be not jealous of him if he succeeds as long as he succeeds according to the honorable lines laid down to guide him.

"No welcome that I shall receive in the United States will be more welcome to me than that of the bar associations of the different great centers that I have visited."

AMERICAN CONSUL GENERAL AT MUNICH IS ASKED TO RESIGN.

Because of Partisan Utterances Concerning European War.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Thomas St. John Gaffney, American consul general at Munich, Germany, has been asked to resign his post because of partisan utterances on the European war. Officials today would make no announcement concerning the case pending receipt of word from Mr. Gaffney.

The consul general is understood to have made statements reflecting on the President's policy in the European war. He was once before the subject of controversy over expressions concerning the war, and as a consequence was transferred from one post to another.

Should Gaffney decline to resign, it was intimated by officials that he would be dismissed from the service.

KILLED BY HAITIEN OUTLAWS.

Sergeant Thompson Loses Life While Recovering Body of Private.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Sergeant Edward C. Thompson, of the sixth company of marines at Port au Prince, Haiti, was killed by Haitien outlaws yesterday, while returning to camp at the head of a party which recovered the body of Private Matthew I. Littak, who had been accidentally drowned while swimming.

In reporting to the Navy Department tonight, Rear Admiral Caperton, commanding the American forces in Haiti, said Sergeant Thompson and his party were attacked from ambush by natives who escaped. Catherine Thopson, of Philadelphia, widow of the sergeant, was notified tonight of her husband's death. Littak was a native of Austro-Hungary.

TOBACCO PRICES JUMP

With Advent of Export Leaf Tobacco Co., on Wilson Market.

Wilson, N. C., Sept. 28.—Local tobacco men are enthusiastic today with the advent of the Export Leaf Tobacco Co., on the local floors. Prices went upward with a jump. Good wrappers sold for $50 to $60 per hundred. Other grades show a corresponding advance and 400,000 pounds sold at an average of $11.50. Forty cars of leaf are being shipped each day and much of this is for export. Both railway companies report heavy freight traffic, with eighty car loads going out of Wilson each working day. The Norfolk Southern is shipping 40 cars of rock to Beaufort every day.

HOKE SMITH DON'T LET UP.

Calls at State Department Concerning Cotton and Contraband.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Senator Hoke Smith, of Georgia, called at the State Department to supplement verbally written evidence previously submitted to Secretary Lansing supporting the contention that cotton should not be placed upon the contraband list by the Allies. Senator Smith said he believed a strong note covering the general subject of interference with neutral shipping and the cotton question in particular, would be addressed to the Allies as soon as the German controversy was settled.

MAJOR STEDMAN AT WINSTON.

Inquiring as to Effect of Licorice Embargo on Tobacco Industry.

Winston-Salem, N. C., Sept. 28.—Representative Charles M. Stedman, of the Fifth North Carolina district, spent the greater part of today here conferring with representatives of tobacco manufacturing regarding the effect upon their business of the action of the British and French governments in holding up shipments to the United States of licorice root. The root is used in preparing certain tobacco for the market. Mr. Stedman stated he would take the matter up personally with Secretary of State Lansing.

UNION VETERANS STAND SOLIDLY BEHIND WILSON IN HIS FOREIGN POLICY

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ed and that a nation as powerful as any in the world could be erected upon the will of the people; that, indeed, there was a power in such a nation that dwelt in no other nation unless also in that other nation the spirit of the people prevailed.

"We now know and the world knows that the thing that we then undertook, rash as it seemed, has been practicable and that we have set up in the world a government maintained and promoted by the general conscience and the general conviction.

"So I stand here, not to welcome you to the Nation's Capital as if I were your host, but merely to welcome you to your own capital, because I am, and am proud to be, your servant. I hope I shall catch, as I hope we shall all catch, from the spirit of this occasion a new consecration to the high duties of American citizenship."

The first death among the veterans attending the encampment occurred today, when Bacon Smith, 70 years old, of Bridgeton, N. J., died of injuries received yesterday when he was run over by a carriage.

PRESIDENT WILSON ASKED TO TELL HIS OCCUPATION

Preliminary to Voting in New Jersey Democratic Primary

Princeton, N. J., Sept. 28.—President Wilson returned to his legal residence here today and voted in the New Jersey Democratic primaries. He remained in Princeton less than two hours and hurried back to Washington to speak tonight at a G. A. R. meeting.

The President walked directly from the railroad station to the old fire house, which is the voting place of his precinct. He was followed by a crowd of students, many of whom took photographs of him. Entering the fire house, the President shook hands with the election officers and was handed a ballot. He went directly into the polling booth and marked the ballot in a few minutes.

In the polling place the President was asked his occupation and replied "President of the United States." He answered other routine questions in a matter-of-fact way.

After voting, the President took a short walk with Dr. Axson and called on several old friends.

TURKEY'S "ARMENIAN POLICY" NECESSARY WAR TIME MEASURE

Count Bernstorff Says Reports of Atrocities are Exaggerated.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, today sent a communication to the State Department saying reports of Turkish atrocities against Armenians were greatly exaggerate and defending in part the action of the Turks, as having been provoked.

While the ambassador's letter does not deny that extreme penalties have been imposed on Armenians by the Turks, it is stated that attempts to stir up rebellion and revolt and treasonable activity has made the "Armenian policy" a necessary war time measure.

Since Turkey has let it be known that no foreign interference with her Armenian policy will be permitted the United States will probably avoid the matter as a subject for any formal protest, unless Americans become involved.

ITALIAN BATTLESHIP BURNED

Many Lives May Have Been Lost—Caused by Accidental Explosion

Paris, Sept. 28.—A dispatch to the Havas agency from Brindisi says:

"A fire which was followed by an explosion occurred on board the Italian battleship Benedetto Brin. Eight officers and 379 marines have been saved thus far.

"Rear Admiral Rubin de Cervin is among the dead.

"The fire was purely accidental."

The battleship Benedetto Brin was a vessel of 13,427 tons and in peace times carried a complement of 720 men. She was completed in 1904 at a cost of $5,750,000. The battleship, which was of the pre-dreadnaught class, carried four 12-inch, four 8-inch and twelve 6-inch guns, twenty 12-pounders, two 1-pounders and two Maxims. She also was armed with four torpedo tubes. The vessel had a speed of 20 1-2 knots.

Rear Admiral Baron Ernesto Rubin de Cervin was in command of the vessel.

U. S. MARINE BAND PLAYS NORTH CAROLINA PRODUCT

Director Likes "Mecklenburg March" by Concord Woman

(Special Star Telegram).

Washington, Sept. 28.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels has received a letter from William H. Santelmann, leader of the famous United States Marine Band, commending the "Mecklenburg March," written by Janie Alexander Patterson, of Concord. Director Santel calls attention to the fact that the Marine Band played this march at a White House concert here September 4. He adds that he will take pleasure in giving this North Carolina product a place upon the future programs of the Marine Band whenever the occasion presents a suitable opportunity.

GALES HEADED THIS WAY

Freezing Weather Predicted for Northern Part of Country.

Washington, Sept. 28.—Freezing weather in Northern New England tomorrow and heavy frosts along the Great Lakes, the upper Ohio Valley and the Atlantic coast north of Maryland were predicted tonight by the Weather Bureau. The lowest temperature recorded today was at New Lisbon, N. J., where the thermometer registered five degrees below freezing.

The tropical storm which has been raging during the last two days in the South Atlantic, tonight was central off the mouth of the Mississippi river and moving northward. Easterly gales were reported from New Orleans to Pensacola, Florida.

STEAMER RAMS LIGHTSHIP

The Quantico Punches Hole in the Boston Lightship Above Water Line

Boston, Sept. 28.—The Boston lightship was rammed by the coastwise steamer Quantico tonight and a hole was smashed inher side two feet above the water line. The Quantico, outward bound for Philadelphia with a few passengers and a general cargo, sustained only slight damage, according to Radio messages she sent to her agents here.

After standing by to learn the extent of the lightship's damage, the steamer proceeded.

Nahant, Mass., Sept. 28.—The sudden death of Mrs. Henry Cabot Lodge, wife of Senator Lodge, at her home here last night was announced today. Mrs. Lodge was 65 years of age. Death resulted from heart disease.

FRENCH ARE ATTACKING GERMANS' SECOND LINE TRENCHES IN THE WEST

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bomb proof shelters several hundred yards in extent.

Having taken the German second line, the statement says, the British are now after the third line of trenches.

In all more than three thousand prisoners have been taken and twenty one guns and forty machine guns have been captured and others destroyed.

GREECE BENT ON NEUTRALITY.

Agrees With Bulgaria on Establishment of Neutral Zone.

Berlin, Sept. 28. (By wireless to Sayville)—The Overseas News Agency says that, according to reliable information, Bulgaria and Greece have agreed upon the establishment of a neutral zone between those two countries.

The suggestion of a neutral zone, the news agency says, was made by the members of the Greek general staff who acted in concert with King Constantine.

The Overseas News Agency adds:

"Bulgaria agreed, and there is no doubt that she is ready to yield to Greek wishes about the Serbian territories of Doiran and Gevgeli. This means that the attempts of the Entente allied powers have been frustrated.

"English and French officers have been in Saloniki in order to prepare for the landing of Anglo-French troops. Greece, for the time being, is determined to maintain neutrality even in the face of the threat to land troops."

FRENCH CLAIM FURTHER GAINS

Claim Successes East of Souchez and North of Massiges.

Paris, Sept. 28.—The French troops fighting on the western front have made further gains of ground east of Souchez and north of Massiges the prisoners taken include Germans recently brought from the Russian front, according to the official communication issued by the French war office tonight.

A heavy artillery action is in progress in the Argonne

NINE MEN STILL ARE HELD IMPRISONED IN TUNNEL

Rescuers Redouble Their Efforts—Tappings Heard.

Lansford, Pa., Sept. 28.—Rescuers tonight re-doubled their efforts to reach the nine men held prisoners in the Foster tunnel of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company at Coaldale, as the result of a rock fall Monday. The rescuers heard tappings this evening which led them to believe that all of the men still are alive.

Two men who were entombed by the fall effected their own rescue today after an all night battle against almost insurmountable obstacles by crawling between openings in 100 feet of fallen rock.

GOODNOW SAYS CHINESE REPUBLIC IS A SUCCESS

Yuan Shi Kai Would Not Consent to Become Emperor

Honolulu, Sept. 28.—Yuan Shi Kai, president of the republic of China, would not consent to become emperor of the "New China," according to Dr. F. J. Goodnow, legal adviser to the Chinese government, who arrived here from the Orient today on the liner Manchuria. Dr. Goodnow gives Yuan Shi Kai nimself as authority for the declaration. Dr. Goodnow said the Chinese republic is a success.

MENDENHALL FOUND GUILTY.

Of the Murder of Miss Susie Elliot in Florida—Sentence Deferred.

Clearwater, Fla., September 28. — J. J. Mendenhall, a prominent orange grower and mill owner, was found guilty here today of first degree murder in connection with the death of Miss Susie Elliot, whose body was found in the ruins of Mendenhall's burned automobile, near here, July 2. The jury recommended mercy. Sentence was deferred. Mendenhall also is under indictment for killing Miss Elliot's mother, Mrs. Bessie Elliot, also found dead in the burned car.

TO STORE COTTON IN ARKANSAS

Farmers' Union Launches Movement to Warehouse the Staple

Little Rock, Ark., Sept. 26.—Plans to maintain the price of cotton at a figure profitable to the farmers by storing and holding the staple in warehouses, were made today by a statewide meeting of farmers and bankers called by the Arkansas Farmers' Union.

Bankers present promised co-operation by lending money on the stored cotton.

RABBI SAMFIELD DEAD

Was Widely Known as Religious and Social Writer.

Memphis, Tenn., Sept. 28.—Rabbi Max Samfield, rabbi emeritus of the Jewish congregation of this city and widely known in the South and West as a religious and social worker, died at his home here today. Mr. Samfield was 71 years old.

SCHMITZ DIDN'T COME BACK.

Apparently Lost to James Rolph, in Frisco Mayoralty Election.

San Francisco, September 28. — Eugene Schmitz, deposed as mayor at the time of graft prosecutions here, in 1906-1907, apparently lost to Mayor James Rolph, in today's primary to name a mayor. It was indicated early tonight that Schmitz ran second in a field of eight candidates.

Berlin, Sept. 28, (via wireless to Sayville)—According to the Overseas News Agency, Greece has assured Serbia she will resist the passage of foreign troops through Greek territory.

CURES PIMPLES EASILY

Simple Remedy That Clears Skin Quickly of All Eruptions.

For several weeks past J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co. have done a big business in selling Hokara, the skin healer, that has won so many friends in Wilmington.

It has been found to heal not only all minor skin troubles, such as pimples, blackheads, herpes, acne, scaly scalp, complexion blemishes, itching feet, piles, etc., but also the worst sores, ulcers, or even chronic eczema and salt rheum. There is yet to be found any form of wound or disease affecting the skin or mucous membrane that Hokara does not help, and its action is so quick that those who try it are simply delighted with it right from the start.

In spite of its unusual curative powers, the price is trifling. To convince every one of its merits, the J. Hicks Bunting Drug Co. will sell a liberal sized jar for 25c. And remember that if you do not think it does what it claims, you can get your money back. You certainly can afford to try it on this plan.

CONDITIONS ALONG MEXICAN BORDER ARE AGAIN ACUTE

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caped smugglers to cross the Rio Grande near Progresso, was reported to army officers today.

One of the reasons for request for mountain guns which have been ordered from El Paso was that they could be used in case of an attack from this colony of Mexicans, it was declared.

Col. A. P. Blocksom, commandant of Fort Brown, and Major Edward Anderson, of the Twelfth cavalry, inspected the posts in the Progresso district today and patrol plans were perfected.

Four alleged Mexican bandits were arrested today and taken to jail at Edinburg. They were believed to be connected with the recent attack on the McAllen ranch near Edinburg.

CHINESE BUILDING SHIPS.

Now Competing With European Builders First Time in History.

Copenhagen, via London, Sept. 28.—For the first time in history Chinese ship-builders are competitors of the European yards. A steamship company of Drammen, Norway, has ordered three steamers in China to be delivered in 1916 and 1917. The placing of this order in China is due to the usual pressure on the home yards.

Business Locals

Advertisements inserted under this head, One Cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words more than 25, One Cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE. The amount being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge a Western Union Messenger to any address in the city, for advertisements in this department, upon request by 'phone to No. 51. Messengers will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for collecting the telegrams, or advertisements for the Star, but a small charge for Strictly Messenger Service. Telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams and bills will be rendered to suit the sender, daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call "Western Union," but for advertisements always call the Star office, No. 51. Advertisements cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them. Contract advertising inserted "till forbid" will be discontinued only on written notice from the advertiser.

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FOR RENT — SEVERAL OFFICES and rooms on second floor, in Peterson & Rulfs' building. Rent reasonable; location best. Apply at Peterson & Rulfs', 202 North Front street. au22-su,w-tf

A FULL LINE OF SHADE TREES, roses and shrubs. Buy home grown fruit trees at The Holland Nurseries, Castle Haynes, N. C. 'Phone 5611. oc17-w,su-tf

LEONORA HARGRAVE — GRADUATE nurse, visiting or hourly nursing. Terms reasonable. Phone 1488-W, 803 Chestnut street. se19-su,we4t*

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WANTED — HOUSEHOLD FURNIture for three or four rooms, in good condition. Address P. O. Box 214. se29-1t*

FOR RENT — 221 SOUTH SIXTH ST., N. E. cor. 6th and Ann sts. One block from High School and opposite Union School. Eight large, light rooms. Large back yard. Will rent for $30.00 month. W. A. McGirt, Masonic Temple Building. se29-tf

FOR SALE — ONE FULL DRESS SUIT, size 38. Cost $45.00. Will take $25.00 if taken at once. Brinson Pressing Club, 114 1-2 Princess street; 'Phone 717. se29-1t

FOR RENT — TWO FRONT OFFICES, second floor Masonic Temple, from October 1st; heat, light, janitor and elevator service included in rental. R. C. DeRosset, Sec'y and Treas. se29-tf

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The American National Bank

WILMINGTON, N. C.

AT CLOSE OF BUSINESS THURSDAY SEPT. 2, 1915.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$1,611,233.56	Capital	$ 250,000.00
Overdrafts	2,236.65	Surplus and Undivided Profits	51,579.87
United States Bonds (at par)	270,000.00	Circulation	250,000.00
Bonds and Securities	65,417.50	Rediscounts	246,389.02
Banking House and Fixtures	45,662.85	Bond account	45,000.00
Stock in Federal Reserve Bank	9,000.00	Reserve account	10,000.00
Real Estate	42,000.36	Due Banks	240,000.00
Cash in Vaults, Due from Banks and U. S. Treasurer.	355,265.63	Deposits	1,307,847.96
Total	$2,400,816.85	Total	$2,400,816.85

W. B. COOPER, Chairman of Board.
THOS. E. COOPER, President. GEO. O. GAYLORD, Vice-President.
CHAS. E. BETHEA, Cashier.
W. C. DENNY, Assistant Cashier. E. FRED BANCK, Assistant Cashier.

STATEMENT CONDITION

The Murchison National Bank

OF WILMINGTON, N. C., AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS SEPT. 2ND, 1915.

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$4,750,677.61	Capital Stock	$1,000,000.00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	810,000.00	Surplus and Net Profits	650,117.18
Bank Building	484,149.24	Circulation	750,000.00
Bonds and Other Securities	208,900.00	Special Deposit Bonds	115,000.00
Liquidation Account Southern National Bank	108,544.13	Rediscounts	230,367.58
Cash and Due by Banks	1,250,831.55	Special Reserve	21,000.00
		Deposits	4,846,617.77
	$7,613,102.53		$7,613,102.53

DEPOSITS:

Sept. 2nd, 1913 .. $4,158,611.18 Sept. 2nd, 1914 .. $4,164,472.12
Sept. 2nd, 1915 .. $4,846,617.77

H. C. McQUEEN, President. J. V. GRAINGER, Vice-President.
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